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Oak Bay	E 2221	G 2311
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TOKIO BOMBED JAPANESE ADMIRAL ON CITY

OIL WELLS OF BURMA BLASTED BY BRITISH AS ENEMY ADVANCES

Empire Forces Complete Two Months of Hard Fighting and Situation Grave — Yorkshire Infantry Fighting Stubborn Delaying Action While Wells Fired—Japanese Reinforced

NEW DELHI, India, April 17 (AP).—British sappers burned and blasted 6,000 West Burma oil wells today while a gallant battalion of the King's Own Yorkshire Light Infantry fought yet another superb delaying action against the Japanese until the wells were ablaze.

Then the vastly outnumbered Yorkshiremen withdrew and rejoined the main British forces after inflicting enormous casualties.

A communique placed the position "south of Magwe," indicating the fighting man were even now amid the refined wells, Magwe is the southern gateway to the field stretching around Yenangyaung, twenty miles north.

IN GALLANT ACTION

The communique said the Yorkshire force "distinguished itself in this gallant action with great determination and bravery and suffered very little loss."

It was the sort of action that has won the admiration of men two generations

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FIRE FIGHTERS EN ROUTE HERE

Alternate Service Workers To Arrive Wednesday to Start B.C. Training

One hundred and ten alternate-service workers, recruited from the ranks of those who by agreement with the Dominion do not bear arms in time of war, will arrive in British Columbia on Wednesday, at the start of a scheme that will place 1,000 men in the woods for fire prevention this Summer, and thereby improvement after that, Hon. A. W. Gray announced yesterday. The men will be used in coastal regions.

The men, recruited under the alternate-service plan on the Prairies, will go into four manning camps where they will be trained in forest fire fighting by experienced instructors of the Provincial Forest Service. Mountaineers and Doukhobors are expected to predominate, although some of them seem are already in the armed forces of the Crown.

ARRIVING NEXT WEEK

The first contingent of 110 alternate-service workers, to arrive on April 22, will be followed at weekly intervals by batches of from 100 to 100 men, all of whom will be trained and made ready for an active job of fire fighting in British Columbia woods this season. Upwards of 500 men are to be transferred to the coast in the next few weeks, as fast as the manning pools can take them. Eventually 1,000 men will be employed in this Province under the scheme.

Commenting on the plan, details of which were arranged through C. D. Orchard, chief forester, on his recent visit to Ottawa, the Minister of Lands said:

"The Dominion Government has undertaken to pay all transportation, wages and allowances. Over and above these fixed charges, the Dominion is allowing to the Province a sum not to exceed $3.00 per day per man for supervision, food, housing and equipment. This, in conjunction with the supervisory personnel and equipment already available in the Provincial Forest Service which can be diverted to the project, will, it is felt, be ample to cover all costs."

George Turbitt, of the Dominion Forest Service, who is sojourning in Victoria, will represent the Dominion Government; while organization and direction of the scheme will be under the Provincial Forest Service. Mr. Gray announced

FEW UNEMPLOYED

LONDON April 17 (CP). — Unemployment reached a new low level in Britain during March, when there were 162,000 men, women and children were out of work, the British Broadcasting Corporation reported in the night. The March figure was down 34,000 compared with the previous month.

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LEAHY WILL RETURN HOME

U. S. Envoy to France Recalled—Laval Forming New Cabinet at Vichy

VICHY, April 17 (AP).—Admiral William D. Leahy, United States Ambassador to unoccupied France since November 28, 1940, was called home for consultation tonight as pro-German Pierre Laval resigned and a new cabinet to replace the Government which resigned on mame to Marshal Petain.

Unoccupied France has in the interim, two leaders—the aged marshal as chief of the state, who was forced in how before German demands for increased collaboration, and Admiral Jean Darlan, designated as Petain's successor and commander-in-chief of all the armed forces.

The composition of the Government is being planned by Laval, who is expected to assume the position of "chief leader" of the French nation

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DODDS IS NAMED RED CROSS HEAD

Montreal Man Chosen for High Office at Annual Meeting At Toronto

OTTAWA, April 17 (CP).—Jackson Dodds, of Montreal, was re-elected chairman of the central council of the Canadian Red Cross today at the concluding session of the annual meeting held during the past two days.

Justice P. E. Gordon, of Regina, was re-elected executive committee chairman.

Other officers of the society elected included: President, Bert of Kitchener; honorary vice-president, Prime Minister Mackenzie King; Conservative House Leader Hanson and M. J. Coldwell, acting C.C.F. House leader

Vice-chairmen central council, R. W. Manning, Winnipeg.

Members of central council as large unofficial George C. Riley, Vancouver, Hugh Partridge, Calgary

Western provincial representatives appointed to the central council for 1942 were

British Columbia — Mrs. W. J. Allan, Chilliwack; and George Darrow, Penticton.

Conference of Air Trainer Countries To Meet at Ottawa

Canada Offers Co-ordination to United States and Other of United Nations—Premier King Makes Announcement of Policy—Commonwealth Scheme Is Not to Lose Its Identity

WASHINGTON, April 17 (CP).—Canada's Commonwealth Air Training Plan as a vital factor in the Allied war effort is to take on an important world aspect by offering its co-ordination to the "United Nations countries," Prime Minister Mackenzie King said here today.

He was commenting on the announcement from the White House that a "Conference of Ministers of International air conference would be held in Ottawa early in May.

At this conference all the British Commonwealth countries now represented in the two-year old air training scheme, the United States and other countries carrying on air training on the American continent will discuss a co-ordinated air training programme covering the next two years.

This would mean that Canada, with an air school in the United States, and Norway, which has a training school in Canada would join with the United States and the British countries at the conference

The proposal was decided upon by the Pris. Minister with the British Government before he brought it to President Roosevelt, Mr King said

This will not mean that the large Commonwealth Air Training Scheme based in Canada in December 1940 under a three-year agreement would be ended, he said.

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British and Chinese Generals Confer

Joining Forces in Defence of Burma, Where the Situation Remains Critical, Britain's Lieut.-General T. J. Staton (Centre) Meets and Talks With China's General Lin Wei, Somewhere Somewhere in Burma. Other British Officers Are Seen in the Picture.

Hundreds of Planes Hit Giant Blows at Germans

Royal Air Force Strikes at Industrial Heart of The Reich

ASSAULT IS AGAIN BIGGEST TO DATE

LONDON, April 17 (CP).—Adding weight and distance to its massive daylight offensive, the R.A.F. hurled 600 planes against German targets today in day-long raids extending from the continental coast to Augsburg, in Southern Germany.

The assaults were by far the heaviest of the war by British airmen, topping yesterday's far-flung, 400-plane attack which had been the biggest to date.

Emphasizing the enormity of the aerial offensive was a daylight attack upon Augsburg, which involved a round trip of at least 1,200 miles right over the heart of industrial Germany.

A NEW TARGET

Augsburg, a few miles northwest of Munich, is the site of a Messerschmitt plane factory, but an informed source said this establishment was not the target of today's raiders. This centre was the target of night raids twice in August, 1940, but had not been mentioned in British air communiques since then

British air superiority over Western Europe was stressed by the air ministry announcement that only two out of the hundreds of planes used—one fighter and one bomber—were lost. It described the enemy opposition as "relatively slight."

LOSS IS SMALL

The Air Ministry said at first that two fighters and a bomber were lost, but a later announcement said any of the fighters had been found safe.

The German radio itself said

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NAZIS EXPECT TO GET FLEET

France May Soon Be at War With Britain and the United States

LONDON, April 18 (Saturday) (CP). — An extremely round-about radio report early today said France would be in a state of war "in the very near future" with the United States and Britain.

This report was broadcast by the Moscow radio in a Tass dispatch, quoting the Berlin correspondent of the Stockholm newspaper Aftonbladet.

Berlin expects the French fleet and bases in French colonies to be put at the disposal of the Axis powers, this account went on

It asserted Berlin looks for an Anglo-American military expedition against occupied France following intensified bombing of Paris and other industrial centres.

An Allied attack also is possible, the report said, along the coast of occupied France, "which is badly fortified" because Marshal Petain had only 100,000 soldiers at his disposal. The report said Germany would take upon herself the defence of the occupied area.

Tacoma Is Mystified By Rumble

TACOMA, April 17 (AP.)—A thundering rumble described as "loud, long and far away," had reminded on the northeast side of Tacoma frightened tonight, and sent state patrolmen to the Brown's Point area to investigate.

Residents along the beach area near Dash Point told Patrolman Paul Pattison that the blast seemed to come from the water, "a long distance away, out in the strait." They saw nothing, they said, to indicate the cause of the noise.

A. J. Wood, keeper of the Brown's Point lighthouse, said that windows there were jarred, sufficient by the blast. The noise was very audible, he said, and seemingly came from nearby.

Simplify Drill in Canadian Army

OTTAWA April 17 (CP)—Simplified marching and arms drill for the Canadian Army was announced tonight by the army branch of the National Defence Department, as a means of accelerating training of men for military service

The announcement said the perfect execution of relatively few movements is aimed at, rather than the attempt to learn and hold down the whole manual in the short time available but drill poorly.

TOYING CHILDREN DIE

ORILLIA Ont. April 16 (CP).—Three young children of Mrs. R. C. Hamilton were asphyxiated in their single bedroom today, when fire destroyed the upstairs of the house of Mrs. Hamilton's father, Joseph Sayo.

Detachment Of Japanese Invade Australia

MELBOURNE, April 17 (CP).—A detachment of short, wiry, or-eyed-looking Japanese paratroopers was posted in force an important cog in the United States-fighting machine arrived tonight in small boats after slipping through the Japanese naval blockade.

Although Netherlands officers directed this movement, the force was led by a short, jovial brown-skinned Javanese, Capt. Edwards Van Mayn, who said they had been mistaken for Japanese and fired on by a Dutch gunboat Australia.

"Finally we convinced them that we were allies and not enemies," he explained.

VOLUNTEERS WILL BE TREATED FREE

Members of Air Raid Precaution Units to Have Compensation If Hurt on Duty

OTTAWA, April 17 (CP).—Members of volunteer air raid precautions units injured in the course of duty receive hospital and medical treatment at public expense and compensation for their injuries on the same basis as workmen's compensation, officials of the Department of Pensions and National Health said today.

They said also that had received no report that twenty-eight members of an auxiliary fire-fighting unit at Oak Bay, B.C. have resigned in a body because of what they claim are "small scale" benefits for injury.

A report from Victoria quoted members of the force as saying Victor Leroy Smith, member of the group, had fractured both legs while on duty March 16 but as yet had received no compensation from Federal authorities.

ARE INVESTIGATING

The officials here said they were investigating at once why no compensation had been paid. In addition to hospital care, they said Smith was granted last March 26 a weekly payment of $19 while fully recuperating from his injuries. In addition, they said, if he suffered permanently injury he would be eligible for a pre-assent pension

The financial allowances payable by the Government vary with the domestic responsibilities of the injured persons and depend also on whether they are treated at home or in hospital.

If they are permanently incapacitated they become entitled to pensions at a scale which runs up to about $60 a month.

Nazis Will Put De Geer on Trial

LONDON April 17 (CP).—Dr Dirk de Geer, Premier of The Netherlands at the time of the German invasion, will be placed on trial by the German occupation authorities in Holland the German news agency D.N.B. said today, according to The Netherlands news agency Aneta.

De Geer will be charged with assisting Netherlands Nazis in May, 1940 at the eve of the invasion, and with "provoking" Japan, said Aneta.

BOMBERS REPORTED OVER CAPITAL: BOMBS DROPPED

From Europe Day by Day—

THE TIMES, London

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LONDON, April 17.—After fierce fighting in which the King's Own Yorkshire Regiment particularly distinguished itself, British troops have fell in retreat in Burma, where the Japanese are daily advancing nearer the oil fields.

The enemy's most serious pressure is on the Chindwin front. His progress east of the Tiddim road enabled the allied right flank and threatens his rear. It is unlikely that the Japanese have been able to split the British and Chinese forces, but some of their units may have crossed the hills by another route and threaten Yenangyaung, the Yorkshiremen's base. The leaders also are compelling a Chinese withdrawal in the Myitkyina region, west of the Bhamo River.

Loss of Mandalay would mean cutting of communications between India and China until completion of the road further north. If the Japanese may not be halted south of Mandalay, they may succeed in conquering the whole of Upper Burma, rendering all roads through the country useless to the Allies.

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What Laval's return to power in France may mean for Britain is discussed by The Times diplomatic correspondent. He reminds how grounds Petain the man who had been forced upon him by the Nazis, and suppose Petain still exercises his may be safe in Unoccupied France, the unscrupulous German agent which Laval has undoubtedly represents.

The Nazis "tit tat Laval to save France from the immediate necessity of occupying the whole of France at a time when every soldier is needed for the Eastern front. A year ago Laval declared democracy was everywhere dead or dying, that Germany must win and France must join in the effort to crush Britain.

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Meanwhile the Royal Air Force ceaselessly raids the Ruhr and German targets in France. More than 600 Spitfires at one time have been over France, and Hurricane bombers have been heavily engaged in the premature daylight "sweeps."

During the first half of April, says The Times' aeronautical correspondent, Royal Air Force bombers have been eight times over Germany and over Italy. In four raids alone 1,500 tons of bombs were dropped on the Nazis.

Big Italian Transport Is Disposed Of

LONDON, April 17 (CP).—A British submarine has unexpectedly sunk a large Italian transport from a convoy in the Mediterranean, the Admiralty announced today. The Admiralty said the ship was one of two Italian transports which were protected by "escort vessels."

Two torpedo hits sent the vessel in seven minutes.

Japanese Radio Report Picked Up in San Francisco Says Planes Caused Damage to "Schools and Hospitals"—No Confirmation of Assault Yet Received From Allied Nations

Berlin Claims Yokohama Also Target for Attack

SAN FRANCISCO, April 17 (AP). — The Tokio radio announce tonight that "enemy bombers" attacked Tokio, the C.B.S. listening station reported. The Tokio broadcast said: "Enemy bombers appeared over Tokio for the first time in the current war, inflicting damage on schools and hospitals. The raid occurred shortly after noon on Saturday (Tokio time).

"Invading planes failed to cause any damage on military establishments, although casualties in the schools and hospitals are as yet unknown.

"This inhuman attack on these cultural establishments and on residential districts is causing widespread indignation among the populace."

C.B.S. said the first announcement of the bombing was in an English language broadcast. The announcement was repeated a few minutes later in the Japanese language broadcast which injected a new angle that "the enemy planes did not attempt to hit military establishments."

TEXT OF BROADCAST

The Japanese language broadcast said:

"Just after noon on the eighteenth the first enemy planes appeared over the city of Tokio. A number of bombs were dropped.

"The enemy planes did not attempt to hit military establishments.

"These planes were repulsed by a heavy barrage from our defence guns

"The previous bombing of the Tokio metropolitan area by air defense was put into immediate practice. I feel in reveal that our losses were exceedingly light."

Tokio's officials, charged with protecting some 8,000,000 residents in a city where many of the houses are

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AUSTRALIANS WIN FIGHTS

Japanese Air Raiders Over Port Moresby Meet Their Match

MELBOURNE, April 17 (AAP).—Royal Australian Air Force fighter planes met a squadron of ten Japanese raiders over Port Moresby one day and landed unscathed to report destruction or damage of at least four of the enemy.

The raiders—five bombers covered by five fighters—dropped some forty-five bombs from 22,000 feet, causing no damage of consequence to the Allied outpost on New Guinea Island, north of the Australian mainland.

Before the Japanese could get away the R.A.F. was on them. A communique gave these details of the ensuing dogfights

DOGFIGHTS WON

"One of our fighters attacked a "zero" machine on the tail of an R.A.A.F. fighter, driving it off. The R.A.A.F. machine fired a long burst from dead astern. Forty yards towards black smoke emerged from the enemy's machine.

"The 'zero' machine stalled and went into a steep dive

"Another pilot fired two bursts at one of the raiders.

"A third pilot fired one long burst into an enemy plane, afterwards seeing a parachute descend.

"Yet another pilot, after seeing his bullets entering the cowling of an enemy plane, saw the enemy aircraft climb steeply, out of control."

RAIDS ON ENGLAND

LONDON, April 17 (CP).—German night raiders, retaliating for the British daylight raids on the Continent, tonight crossed the south and southeast coasts of England. Others were reported in West Kingsland Anti-aircraft fire was heard in seven minutes.

ESCAPED NAZI AVIATOR TAKEN

German Flyer Who Fled From Camp Captured at Niagara Falls

NIAGARA FALLS, N.Y., April 17 (AP). — A Nazi airman who had made his escape from the officers' war prisoners camp at Bowmanville, Ont., "several days ago," was captured by Niagara Falls police today in Whirlpool State Park along the Canadian Niagara Gorge.

Detective-Sergeant Martin Considine, one of three policemen who apprehended the airman, said the prisoner identified himself as Erich R. Bohle, twenty-seven, of Dusseldorf, Germany, and refused to discuss how he crossed the border

The policemen were chiding in a great car when they noticed Bohle.

CLOSEMING UNUSUAL

"We were attracted by the clothing he wore," Considine said, "it consisted of a suit of dingy grey material which looked like a uniform, and heavy black shoes. We stopped him and asked him his name. He spoke English quite well.

Bohle produced documents showing he was a Norwegian flying officer of the Fifth Free Norway Flying Corps of Little Norway, Toronto, but later admitted they were forged, Considine added.

Bohle told police he was shot down over England in September, 1940, and escaped once previously into New Brunswick.

New Fighter Squadron Here Has Veterans of Air Battles Over Britain

Some of Men Now Stationed on West Coast Have Seen Action in the Old Country—Leader Only Twenty-Five Years of Age

A WEST COAST CANADIAN PORT, April 17 (CP).—Canada's West Coast today boasts a new high-speed fighter squadron of the Royal Canadian Air Force, a veritable hornet's nest which bodes no good for any enemy venturing near this coast.

Personnel of the new squadron are all experienced fighter pilots, veteran fighter pilots on the Pacific Coast, includes decorated veterans of the Battle of Britain and a sprinkling of untried but eager youngsters.

All of them—like the aerial fighters of other stations here—are anxious to "greet" any would-be raider. Every day now they take off for sea to their patrols, rendezvousing, practising and patrolling the coast for signs of any enemy activity.

HAS DECORATION

Leader of the new squadron is Squdn. Ldr. Paul Bennett, twenty-five-year-old "veteran" of the Battle of Britain. He was the D.F.C. in that battle at the same time as his immediate superior officer, Wing Cmdr. Stuart McIntosh, who commands the operating authority at fighter stations on this coast.

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AXIS OCCUPATION TROOPS ATTACKED

BERNE, April 17 (AP).—Budapest dispatches said today that Yugoslav patriot forces heavily attacked Axis occupation troops in Northern Yugoslavia yesterday, while considerable bands of free fighters fought sharp engagements in several other areas.

These reports, which gave no figures on Axis losses, declared that the Yugoslavs had 165 killed, fifteen wounded and seven missing.

Twenty-two patriots were reported captured and shot after being taken prisoner in a clash in Serbia in which seventy-five Yugoslavs were killed.

Fighting is continuing in Bosnia and Slovenia, the Budapest account said.

"DEFINITE" is the DRESS WORD this Season!

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Yes, Definitely

IT'S SCURRAHS FOR Dresses

Strength of Spirit Helped Motherland To Overcome 'Blitz'

British Peoples Drew Upon "Divine Spark" in Months When German Air Attacks Reached Peak of Ferocity, Clubs Are Told

THE people of Great Britain, "blitzed" for ten months by Germany's enemies, survived through the ordeal largely because they utilized the "reservoir of spiritual power" upon which human beings draw when faced with a great emergency, American-born Rabbi Raphael Levine, who spent the last two years in England, told a joint luncheon meeting of the Canadian Club and Victoria Chamber of Commerce in the Empress Hotel yesterday.

Speaking upon the subject, "I Saw London Burning," Rabbi Levine the viewed for his hearers the events which began with the signing of the Munich Pact and culminated with the Fuhrer's threatening statement on Great Britain.

Describing the "terrible Summer of 1940," and the Nazi air attacks on Great Britain, he said: "The daylight raids were intended to ground the R.A.F. It was a miracle that Hitler was unable to establish a bridgehead upon the island; he would have gone through it like fire.

EXPLOSIVE SERVICES

"The Royal Navy and the Royal Air Force stood between England and complete disaster; the Royal Air Force shot down hundreds of the plane." Rabbi Levine said amid applause.

"I saw the East End of London a mass of flames—a dreadful sight, especially when, we knew that hundreds of lives were lost in the conflagration. We had the German planes over for ten months, but the vast majority of people developed an immunity to them. They became philosophical. They said that if your number was on a bomb, you didn't know it, and that you might as well go unconcerned."

He described the "blitz," when bashes slept in stillness in the tube stations of London, and adds: "people packed bend to foot like sardines on the underground platforms.

SYNAGOGUE RAZED

A 1,000-pound bomb hit and destroyed the Liberal Jewish Synagogue in London, whose rabbi, he was for six years, yet none of the seventy people in the basement shelter, which was less than thirty yards from the bomb, was seriously hurt. Rabbi Levine said.

Rabbi Levine described as one of the most "thrilling experiences" the fact that Presbyterian and Anglican clergymen offered his congregation the use of their churches after the synagogue was destroyed.

HAVE SUBLIME VIRTUES

"I think," he said, "the English are alone. They muddle a bit, and they have made tragic mistakes, but overshadowing these faults are virtues which I can describe in no word less than sublime. They have an unshakeable faith in their destiny.

"Britain never knew when she was beaten. Everybody, including our American experts, thought it was all over with the British Empire after the fall of France, but her sublime stupidity stood Britain, and civilization, in marvelous stead after France fell.

"Whatever mistakes she has made, one thing will never be forgotten: Britain stood alone, against almost invincible foes, until the United States stood on the sidelines and cheered her on."

After every disaster, Rabbi Levine said, the British said merely, "Now, at least, we know where we stand."

VICTORY IS CERTAIN

With the United States in the war, the United Nations can look forward with confidence to ultimate victory for, under the impact of Pearl Harbor and the Philippines, the United States has come awake, "and with help to create such an overwhelming power that the United Nations will sweep the Fuehrer from Italy, the Nazis from Germany, and the military cliques from Japan's conquered land and empire.

"This is a total war. The eyes of the world are turned upon us to help win not only the war, but the peace that will follow. The future of humanity depends upon a great understanding between the peoples of the English-speaking world. May God give us the strength and wisdom and understanding to see it." Rabbi Levine concluded.

The speaker, who expects to take a charge in Seattle, was introduced by George R. Gowan, president of the Canadian Club, and by Colonel J. J. Johnson, president of the Chamber of Commerce.

PROSECUTION LAUNCHED

Provincial Police Arrest Former Clerk in B.C. Public Works Office

Attorney-General Mahland announced yesterday that prosecution has been launched concerning 247 civil irregularities in the office of the Department of Public Works at Powell River, where a discrepancy of approximately $4,000 was said to exist in connection with Government work payrolls. One arrest was made in Victoria on Thursday evening.

William McLeod, a former clerk in the Powell River office of the Provincial Department of Public Works, was arrested in Victoria on a warrant from the Provincial Police, charging him on six counts with falsifying Government payrolls. The charges involve small sums ranging from $12 to $72, amounting collectively to $230 in total. It was announced.

The defendant, who joined a branch of the armed forces after leaving the Government service, was removed in Vancouver, and will be taken to Powell River for a preliminary hearing on the charges. The prosecution was launched at the direction of the Attorney-General's Department, the warrant being served here late on Thursday.

PASTOR BEATS JIMMY BEVINS

Gets Up Off Floor Twice To Score Victory Over Cleveland Negro

CLEVELAND April 17 (AP.) — Bob Pastor, of New York, got up from the floor twice in the first round tonight and, wearing his man down with jolting blows, carved out a firm non-moral decision over Jimmy Bevins. The victor scaled 182, the Cleveland 178½.

The Cleveland Negro tested his heaviest dynamite in the first round, knocking the heavyweight contender for a count of two with with a left-right-left to the face, and taken a count of nine himself with two jarring jefts for a crime of three.

Pastor, who weighed in 13,748 customers got the scent of a potential upset, at least, as Bevins tested his battler came back in eave himself the prospect of a third shot at Joe Louis' heavyweight crown.

It was the twelfth triumph in a row for tricky Bobby Pastor. Although the official verdict was not unanimous, Referee Joe Bedizy's ballot being needed to break a deadlock between the judges.

The victor started to rally in the third, catching Jimmy in a corner and pummeling him about the ropes for a full ten seconds. Concentrating consistently on the Clevelander's midsection, Pastor forced the fight most of the way to the last five minutes.

Concert Party Visits Colwood

During the week the 44th standard of Colwood were entertained by the Red Shield Concert Party under the command of Major C. J. Walker and the Brantford management of Frank Humphery Pugsla from the Bell Chair Dancing Academy presented novelty numbers, including "Bert Shoe Tap," by Misses Shirley and Irene Campbell; "Rhythm on the Range" and "Mexicany Tapsy" by Misses Kay Bewell, Gerry Ash, John Buckingham, June Tyner, Margaretta Pearce and Doris Playne, while special solo dance numbers were given by Miss Iris Bronks.

Ted Blair led the audiencing singing with Jerry delaafold at the piano, and also gave clever impersonations. Johnny Bonnell delighted with his marimonette show.

Instrumental numbers included trumpet solos by Jimmie Bow, cornetist, and piano accordion solos by Sergeant Bob Townsend, accordionist. The Roller Canaries, cane-pound of Mrs. Barney Greaves assisted by Miss Betti Clair and Miss Marilyn Bell, spoke thrilled with their clever accelerated tricks.

The orchestra of the King's Printer also rendered pleasing numbers. The programme concluded with the singing of the hymn "Abide With Me" and "The King" after which the party was entertained to the sergeants' mess.

"You don't see so many words spoken you write those out yourself." —William S. Kanigan.

AIR CONFERENCE MEETS AT OTTAWA

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But the activities will be coordinated with American and other training schemes with a view to maximum efficiency and economy, coupled with speed of output, Mr. King said.

"It will be co-ordination rather than duplicate effort."

The Prime Minister added his Washington visit has brought and Mr. Mackenzie King said he will spend tomorrow returning to Ottawa from Washington.

The Prime Minister said the visit was "very satisfactory in every respect."

He said he had the most intimate conversations with the President.

"I can talk with him as freely as I would with one of my own colleagues.

"It was an extraordinary good opportunity to discuss all aspects of the war and we took full advantage of it. That is the great value of a visit of this kind."

CITY HEALTH IS REVIEWED

Dr. Richard Felton Reports Overcrowding Caused Increase in Isolation Cases

One unfortunate result of inevitable overcrowding was the considerable increase in the number of patient days in the isolation unit of the Royal Jubilee Hospital. In many instances it was found necessary to transfer patients to the isolation unit which should have been effectively nursed at home, according to the annual report of Dr. Richard Felton, city medical health officer.

Dr. Felton pointed out that there was an appreciable increase in communicable diseases which might be attributed to overcrowding of the population due to war conditions. There had been no diphtheria, smallpox or typhoid fever cases during 1941, and tuberculosis showed a slight decrease.

Communicable diseases accounted for seventy-seven patients. It had been clearly demonstrated that diphtheria antitoxin is responsible for paralysis, and it was quite possible that meningitis might also be responsible.

He urged that action be taken as soon as possible to improve the sanitary and unsightly waterfront shacks near Ogden Point docks, and called attention to vulnerability of the water supply system. The pipe mains are of public health service during the year was ninety-three cents.

VITAL STATISTICS

Greater Victoria births during 1941 totaled 1,266. There were also 1,138 marriages, 862 adult deaths and forty-three infant deaths.

Of the total number of deaths, twenty-eight were due to pneumonia, 113 heart diseases, 909 diseases of the circulatory system, twenty-two cancer, thirty-three tuberculosis, forty-seven nephritis, twenty-three violent or accidental and seventeen from automobiles.

City figures for the year showed fifteen cases of spinal meningitis, 267 chickenpox, 1,009 rubella, 281 measles, 180 scarlet fever, 1,000 scarlet fever, sixty-five tuberculosis and 282 whooping cough.

A report of Thomas R. Lancaster, city sanitary inspector, showed 1,000 complaints received and dealt with, 226 carcasses of beef inspected and passed, and considerable progress made in eliminating a swamp off the Johnson street Extension. During the year Elwood S. Gropp had been appointed acting waterfront sanitary inspector.

W. F. Farmer, milk inspector, reported nineteen milk samples condemned and an average of 4.2 bacteria found in 1,218 samples of milk collected and examined.

Miss Alberta Crisner, superintendent of Victorian Order of Nurses, reported 1,367 tables examined at fifty-one milk centres, 1,203 visits made to mothers, 1,252 visits made to cases of communicable diseases, 560 visits to tuberculosis cases, 1,223 visits made to prenatal cases, 1,000 prenatal examinations, and 112 classes held in child care and home nursing.

LEAHY WILL RETURN HOME

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on a basis of anti-Axis collaboration with the Axis.

LEADERS FORECAST

Pierre Laval, the chief minister of France's new leaders was forecast today.

Laval: He will, as head of the Government, seek to achieve improvement in Franco-German negotiations with Germany.

Darlan: He will seek the armed forces in will be he who will have the final say if France is brought into the point of battle again, as the result either of an Allied offensive in Europe or of military developments in Africa.

Petain: The old marshal, who always has hoped to retain amicable relations with the United States, will take a position of the right of exile, one similar to the chief of state in the Vichy France, wielding his influence in that position, though formally disassociated from political affairs. His strongest weapon will be that he may respond to the call to return at any time.

Late tonight Laval postponed until tomorrow announcement of a final cabinet list.

A communique said a "final solution was immediately after conferences between Laval and "numerous personalities of the Vichy."

Laval "failed lengthily with some of his future collaborators," the communique added.

Admiral Leahy's absence, at least temporarily, was explained by the state Department in Washington, and announced without comment by the Vichy Government. A communique emphasized that Admiral Leahy's leave would be temporary, would be represented by three secretaries.

FROM WASHINGTON

WASHINGTON, April 17 (AP.)—As the United States prepared to withdraw its power of Pierre Laval, the architect of Franco-German collaboration, Admiral William D. Leahy was called home the American Ambassador to Vichy, Adolphe Menjou, for consultation.

In announcing the diplomatic break, only one step removed from a formal rupture in relations, the Acting Secretary of State, Sumner Welles, said it was taken in view of the events of the past few days and because the new Vichy Government was regarded as being under the domination of the pro-Axis leader Laval.

It was believed here the immediate

ing home of Admiral Leahy would be his immediate representative on diplomatic relations between Vichy and Ottawa, although it may lead eventually to an open break.

Canada, it was pointed out here, would take parallel action because the last Canadian Minister to France, Eric George Vanier, of Quebec, left in June, 1940, and there is no one at Vichy to recall. The Canadian charge d'affaires, Pierre Dupuis, lives in London and makes only infrequent trips to Vichy.

CANADIAN POLICY

If, however, Vichy retaliates against the United States by recalling Gaston Henry-Haye, its ambassador in Washington, or breaks off diplomatic relations entirely, it was considered likely here that Canada would make an open break by asking Vichy to recall its minister to Canada, Rene Ristchuber, who has maintained a legation in Ottawa ever since the fall of France and the armistice with the Germans and Italians.

For the next few days at least, the Canadian Government is expected here in act back and watch events.

Late this afternoon Norman Robertson, Canadian Under-Secretary of State, hinthered with Welles and it was understood that Vichy was one of several subjects under discussion. Robertson came to Washington with the Prime Minister.

By way of emphasizing the American position of Laval, Welles let it be known that the United States Government views the new Vichy regime as a puppet government capable of sending puppet communiques previously submitted to and approved by German authorities.

WILLING TO OBLIGE

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HUNDREDS HIT GIANT BLOWS

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claimed nineteen British craft were drowned.

Heavy bombers were used against Augsburg today and an informed source said this presumably meant four-motored bombers, possibly giant British Stirlings or American-made Fortresses.

Augsburg is one of the oldest cities of Bavaria and before the war was the chief textile centre of Germany. It also has important chemical works and plants turning out agricultural and industrial machinery.

Three times within a few hours last day fighters and bombers roared across the Channel to harry Northern France and bomb a factory at Mirgeiss in the Calais-Boulogne area in the continuing war of attrition against the depleted Nazi air forces guarding the Continent.

There was no indication that Canadian squadrons were participating in the English attacks, but an R.C.A.F. spokesman said the Canadians were taking a leading part in the night assaults on the German industrial zone.

Since the Spring offensive started, R.C.A.F. squadrons have been out at least four nights a week.

CARRY THEIR WEIGHT

"They are certainly carrying their weight in the general effort," said the spokesman.

The Canadian squadrons, he said, are "mauling Wellington and Hampden bombers, while other Canadian fighting constantly with R.A.F. squadrons are aboard four-motor aircraft.

German losses mounted with a two-hour raid on an English south coast town—the first daylight assault of any consequence this year. The Germans at Southampton, on the south coast, was attacked.

The R.A.F. offensive was carried on has aided Soviet Russia's winter The German submarine base at Lorient, France, dogs at La Rochelle, and airfields in Northern France and The Netherlands were attacked. Two bombers failed to return. The Germans lost one.

While gentle weather prevented raids on Germany itself, the magnitude of the expanding British attacks was underscored by figures from the Bomber Command showing more than 2,000,000 pounds of bombs were dropped on German targets during the first two weeks in April.

The recent raid on Lubeck, Germany, one of the heaviest of the war, is not included in that figure. Bombs of the Baltic port fell at the rate of 4,000 pounds a minute for three hours—at least 50 per cent heavier than the devastating German raid on Coventry.

RACING DATES ARE RELEASED

Sam Randall Announces Tentative Days for the Ponies in B.C.

VANCOUVER, April 17 (CP) — Samuel Randall, president of the Vancouver Thoroughbred Association, announced that Vancouver's racing season will open at Lansdowne track here June 27 with twilight racing the rule except on holidays, when afternoon programmes will be run off.

Thirty-five Lansdowne the horses will go to Hastings Park from July 18 to July 24, and then return to Lansdowne August 1 for another six-day showing. Second meeting at Hastings will be held August 31 to September 7.

No dates have been set for Brighouse track, near Lansdowne on Lulu Island, south of the city, because plans to use that track this year are still indefinite.

The regular two-week meeting will be held at the Willows in Vancouver, beginning it is 26, Randall said. He said twilight races would start either at 5 or 6 p.m., P.D.T.

BURMA OIL WELLS BURNED BY BRITAIN

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vious citations for gallantry against great odds in two months of deadly Pacific fighting.

Destruction of the Yenangyaung wells cut off an important source of oil for China.

The British command announced that the situation was grave, with thirty forces depleted by two months of hard fighting, and the Japanese newly reinforced to a total of about 75,000 men.

British forces in the Toungoo-Pyinmana sector held still were protecting the right flank of the Chinese expeditionary force.

The Chinese high command announcing overnight developments up to Wednesday said the Chinese had inflicted more than 1,000 casualties on the Japanese in increasingly heavy fighting on the Sittang River, roughly thirty miles north of Toungoo.

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PHILADELPHIA, April 17 (AP.)—Alexander H. Findlay, seventy-five, known as the father of golf in the United States, died of a heart attack here last night. He was continuing with instructing the British game in the United States fifty-five years ago and he never claimed credit for the distinction.

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Britons Indifferent To Increased Costs Of Little Comforts

Extra Shillings Spent on Smokes, Drinks and Entertainment May Be Taken From Intended War Savings—Stocks Little Affected

LONDON, April 17 (AP).—Statisticians figured today Britain's new war budget would add about 15 shillings a week to the amount the average couple ordinarily spends on smokes, drinks and entertainment.

That money some economists believed might come from the shillings and pence that otherwise would have been earmarked for war savings. For they feel the people will continue to indulge in the luxuries of cigarettes, beer and spirits despite the heavy taxes.

Britons generally remained indifferent to the soaring costs of modern war. The tax increases bothered producers more than consumers.

EXCHANGE REACTION

The stock market's reaction to the budget ranged from indifference to actual improvement in two sectors of the market fall—breweries and tobacco firms. Apparently investors believed consumption of these products would be maintained.

Doubling of the purchase tax didn't cause a ripple in the stores sections. Otherwise the markets stayed in the doldrums, cautious over French developments and the continued red news from Tobruk.

Rationing of coal, gas and electricity on a "points" system and the issue of ration cards to commoners is reported being considered by the Government. Under the plan as outlined, cards will be "usable" for fuel and energy needed.

DRAFTING SCHEMES

Commoners soon will find the prices of most household goods under Government control. The central price regulation committee now is drafting schemes to survey china, glass, blankets, furniture and hardware. There has been considerable criticism of these items by complainants who say prices have been doubled and quality halved generally speaking.

Control officials have been reported investigating between $1 and $1.50 as the maximum charge for restaurant and hotel meals, with a limit of three courses. The sale of fish, game, poultry has been banned from restaurant menus on specific days to give the public fairer distribution of these items.

Britons thriftily may have to swallow their pride and remain in the fishy taste of seagull eggs, which have been coming to market in thousands since she set the slender supply of hen's eggs.

TO GROW TOMATOES

Flower growers have been ordered to use three-fourths of their glasshouses for tomatoes and are expected to produce at a rate of two-thirds pre-war consumption. That would about equal total imports.

In 1939 Britain grew about 700 acres of onions, last year around 10,000 acres, and there will be still more this year. Before the war 95 per cent of the onions were imported.

Potato acreage is estimated at 75 per cent more than the 700,000 acres planned in 1941, pre production is expected to rise to 100,000 acres from 30,000, and green crops will be up 30 per cent.

NEW SQUADRON HAS VETERANS

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The squadron leader's men are young and keen. There is P.O. R. F. Reid, nineteen, who moved from a peaceful high school classroom into the Commonwealth Air Training Plan and home to the cockpit of the fighter he now flies. Another is Warrant Officer R. A. Taylor, twenty-seven-year-old former barbersmith.

Some of the squadron leaders are younger than the men. Flight commander of one group is Flt. Lt. Allan G. Ayers, who is twenty-six. P.O. Fred Heuther, at thirty, is one of the men twenty-one. He calls nineteen-year-old Reid "Junior" and in return goes dubbed "Old Man Mose."

COM EFROM EAST

Typical ground crew made up of men from Ontario and Quebec is: Cpl. Gordon B. Johnson, twenty-six, radio technician; A.C. Jim Gore, twenty-three, armorer; Cpl. J. N. Stewart, twenty-five, rigger; L.A.C. W. E. Armstrong, nineteen, fitter; A.C. O. F. Keller, twenty-two, once a drug-store clerk, now an electrical and A.C. Bristol Lacroque, twenty-six—yes—an aircraft mechanic.

In off-duty hours the men play table-tennis, or study maps and charts of silhouettes of all known Japanese aircraft, which hang in the operations room.

Also hanging there—and dubbed the "rumble roll"—is a long list of sentences and fines received from ten cents for swearing over the place-to-general radio to five cents for leaving an unused parachute anywhere but in a locker.

IN BRITISH ARMY

LONDON (CP)—Ling Chieh Kung, twenty-year-old nephew of General Chiang Kai-shek and son of Dr. H. H. Kung, Chinese Finance Minister, has been commissioned a second lieutenant in the Royal Guards.

At the Theatres

DOMINION Robert Taylor and Lana Turner are featured in "Johnny Eager," now showing at the Dominion Theatre. The new story has its setting in the underworld, dealing with the dramatic life of a paroled convict, who has lost all real emotions and depends upon those faked for success.

CADET Warner Bros.' "Dive Bomber," which will open at the Cadet Theatre is one of Hollywood's "biggest" recent productions. In "Dive Bomber," filmed in new fast-action technique Errol Flynn and Fred MacMurray are starred, supported by Regis Toomey, Ralph Bellamy, Alan Jenkins and others with beautiful young Alexis Smith as the leading woman.

RIO Universal's comedy **THEATRE** "The Bank Dick," starring Una Merkel and the veteran comedian W. C. Fields will end tonight at the Rio Theatre. Fields is presented in the role of a bum guard, a job he is given when he accidentally captures a bandit. Richard Arlen, Franklyn Pangborn and Grady Sutton have the principal supporting roles.

CAPITOL The complications that **THEATRE** arise when a night club singer takes refuge from the police by moving to with eight professors working on a new encyclopedia underlie the hilarious fun of "Ball of Fire," Samuel Goldwyn's new romantic comedy production which will end tonight at the Capitol Theatre. Gary Cooper and Barbara Stanwyck co-star.

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From "Johnny Eager"

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Russians Rolling Towards Smolensk; Fighting Is Bitter

Red Army Capturing "Fortress After Fortress" Against Heavy German Resistance—Reports Say Soviets at Approaches to Key City—Battles Raging in Leningrad Sector

LONDON, April 17 (CP).—The Red Army was driving ahead against fierce German resistance tonight and capturing "one great fortress after another" in the area of Demidov, forty miles northwest of Smolensk, the Moscow radio reported.

Bombshell dispatches said advanced Russian units had reached the approaches of Smolensk itself and that the Germans were fortifying every house of that already battered city.

There was no information to indicate whether the Russians were threatening Smolensk with sufficient force to attempt an assault directly upon that key point, but Stockholm dispatches said raiding columns of White Russians, west of the city, were handicapping German efforts to rush up reinforcements.

This agreed with the Russian report of assaults around Demidov strengthening an impression the Russians might be starting an encirclement manoeuvre.

Battles were also raging in Leningrad sector, the Russians were advancing in the Kursk area, and the British Broadcasting Corporation said the Russians were "well and strong" in the Kharkov area.

Moscow's communique tonight said the Russians proved forward on several sectors of the front "and improved their positions."

On the Kalinin front it listed 800 Germans killed and quantities of booty captured. Fifteen German planes were reported downed yesterday to five Soviet planes.

CITY MAN SERVING WITH TANK BRIGADE

Leaving Victoria more than two years ago with the Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry, in which he was then serving as a corporal, John Cabbie is now a squadron sergeant-major with a tank unit "somewhere in England." Sgdn. Sgt.-Major Cabbie's wife and little daughter, Marie, live at 1028 Wellington Street. Except in pictures, he has never seen his little girl, who is now nearly two years old.

JOHN CABBIE

BOY SCOUT NEWS

CHURCH OF OUR LORD

The weekly meeting of the Church of Our Lord pack opened on Thursday with flag break and the grand host. Following impressive ceremonies the flag was played, Skipping, ball throwing, leap-frog and hook balancing tests were passed. Bernard Trimble received his first proficiency star and Roy Lugg received the house orderly badge. The meeting closed with the grand howl and Cub prayer.

U. S. HOTELMEN TO VISIT CITY

One Hundred to Arrive Today for Twenty-Four-Hour Stay

hotelmen and their wives will arrive in Victoria this morning for the tenth annual "week-end abroad" of the Olympic Peninsula and Resort Association.

The Olympic Peninsula hotelmen, to whom the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau has played host annually for ten years in appreciation of their co-operation and assistance in directing tourists here, will be headed by William O. Thornsley, president of the association.

The group will stay in Victoria twenty-four hours. While here the visitors will attend luncheon at the Royal Oak Inn, tour gardens in Victoria and district, swim at the Crystal Garden, and take afternoon tea at the Empress Hotel. During the evening they will attend a banquet at the Empress Hotel and a buffet supper at the Dominion Hotel. William J. Clark, president of the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau, will preside at the banquet.

LEAVE SATURDAY

The hotelmen will leave for Port Angeles on Sunday morning at 8:30 (included in the party, which is drawn from Washington and Oregon, will be Mr. L. Q. Jones, C. H. Martin, former Governor of Oregon; Dr. E. B. McDaniel, president of the Oregon State Motor Association; C. R. Johns, executive secretary of the Washington State Progress Commission, Olympia; W. W. Chadwick, Mayor of Salem, Ore., who operates a chain of Oregon hotels; Paul R. Scovs, general manager of Mount Rainier Park Ralph Herring, of the Redwood Empire Association, San Francisco; Leigh Hall, president of the Seattle Hotel Creators' Association, and Arnold J. Burnett, manager of the Washington State Hotel Association.

CADET CORPS IS INSPECTED HERE

University School Unit Congratulated on Performances by Major Critchlow

Led by its own band, the 170th (University School) Cadet Corps was inspected yesterday by Major Critchlow, O.B.E. & M.D. 11, on the school ground. The weather was fine and the ground in good condition when the corps gave the general salute and then marched past in review order.

After the ceremonial drill had been concluded, the corps put on a display of platoon drill and field drill; the bayonet and first aid were inspected in action. The physical training squad changed from military uniform and performed a number of exercises and the gymnastic sight went through at an exercises on the parallel bars and the horse, finishing off with a human tableau.

The corps was then formed in a hollow square and Major Critchlow addressed the boys and congratulated them on their performance, reminding them of the serious duties which in these days face every man, and boy.

Three sheets were called for the inspecting officer by Cadet-Captain A. M. Cockburn and three the numerous company of parents and friends of the school adjourned to the school dining hall, where tea was served.

WAR CRACK BEFORE MEAT

LONDON (CP).—"For what we are about to eat, thank God and the British Fleet," said J. J. Eland, chairman of the Allied Brewery Traders' Association, during grace at an association luncheon.

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BRITISH AIR OFFENSIVE

When the Luftwaffe was carrying out its extensive raids over Great Britain during September, 1940, there was much fighting in the skies and heavy toll was exacted from the enemy's bombing fleets by a force of defenders much inferior in numbers to the Germans but far more skilled in aerial warfare. The result of the Battle of Britain was, for one thing, to discourage the enemy from making daylight raids in force. Eventually the protective measures became so great that the Luftwaffe became equally discouraged about making night raids with any considerable number of planes. Moreover, the Battle of Britain taught both of the combatants that where fleets of bombers engage in raids they must be defended by fighting planes if they are not to suffer heavy casualties.

What happened in the Battle of Britain in the way of destruction wrought to property is now happening to Germany and to German-occupied territory, but with this difference: the Germans in their great aerial onslaught dropped bombs at random, indeed it appeared as if they concentrated chiefly on civilian property; the British attacks are being made on military and naval establishments and on the industries upon which the German war machine depends. There has never been an aerial offensive on such a scale as is now in progress and there is the promise that it will be sustained whenever the weather permits. The estimate of the Air Ministry is that in the anti-air protective services the Germans are employing 1,500,000 persons and this means that in the present offensive substantial aid is being given to the Russian cause. Not only are war industries being badly damaged over wide areas, but the Germans, too, have to keep large forces in Western Europe for it is the Nazis now who live under a continuous threat of invasion.

There are those who have argued for some time past that a second front should be opened up in Europe. No one was under any delusion about a "front" having been established when the Luftwaffe was raining bombs on London and other British industrial cities. Now the shoe is on the other foot. The British have established an aerial front such as never was known in history. Many months ago they mastered the daylight air; now the initiative is theirs in the midnight skies as well. The relentless pounding promised by Mr. Winston Churchill is in full swing and ultimately it will be found that it will play a notable part in bringing the enemy to his knees. It can and will be sustained; it will be increased in vigor. The feature of the present offensive is the fact that it goes on night and day and the resistance of the enemy is on nothing like a par with that of the Royal Air Force during the Battle of Britain.

Out here on the Pacific Coast there is perhaps a tendency to look across this ocean to the Far East where Japan continues to add triumph to triumph. That was the tale, too, in this Axis War for long months—for two years—after the German legions commenced to march. Up to December, 1941, the main enemy received no serious check to his victorious progress, save in the Battle of Britain. Then the Russians turned the tide of battle and commenced an offensive which has been sustained for over four months. It is true that the fighting on the Eastern Front has been heavy and that victory may still be far ahead but at least the enemy has been thrown on the defensive on the greatest battlefront and has been the victim of many damaging blows. The situation in Europe has taken a definite turn for the better and emphasis is put on this by the great offensive now in progress by the Royal Air Force.

Before there is a turn in the tide in the Far East much preparation remains to be undertaken; many hundreds of thousands of men and millions of tons of munitions have to be dispatched to that area and all this will be a slow process. Naval strength has to be built up to cope with the Japanese Fleet; aerial armadas have to be dispatched and concentrated on bases where the enemy can be pounded as Germany and German-occupied territory are being pounded today. Ships and more ships have to be made available so that all this can be done. Until it is done on the scale needed, the fortunes of war are likely to go against the United Nations in the Far East, where now, in practically every respect, they are fighting at a disadvantage. In such a war the enemy must be considered as one, but there are many fronts. There is that in the Far East with all its ramifications; there is the Battle of Russia, there is the Battle of the Atlantic; there is the battle, too, to preserve the lifelines of the United Nations across the Pacific Ocean; there is the war in North Africa which at any moment may burst into new flames of intensity; lastly, but by no means of least importance, there is the battle of the skies against the Nazis, and over enemy soil. In Europe the war is being brought home to the enemy as it never was previously. That is the most heartening of all phases of the struggle to the United Nations. Even if they must remain, for the time being, on the defensive in the Far East, they are at last very definitely on the offensive in that theatre of war where the final decision will be reached.

RUBBER FROM DANDELIONS

Recently a National Farm Chemurgic conference was held in Chicago. The word "chemurgic" is comparatively new to the dictionary, meaning the utilization of farm products by chemical industries. One of the delegates to the conference was Mr. Cecil Lamont, of the Northwest Line Elevators Association, who has given some interesting information to The Weekly Market News of Edmonton. The conference, it appears, came to the conclusion that there could be extensive production of rubber from wheat starch and from a type of dandelion known as "kok-sagyz" which was discovered in 1931 in the Kazakhstan area of Russia. Mr. Lamont says that the root of this dandelion first appeared to yield 6 to 12 per cent of raw rubber but that experimentation increased this to 27 per cent. Mr. Lamont writes:

"In 1929 the Russian Government set about making the country independent of imported rubber supplies. More than 100,000 different plants of the country were investigated, resulting in the discovery of the rubber-bearing member of the dandelion family. Today more than half the rubber produced in Russia comes from the kok-sagyz plant. Production has increased from 2,250 acres in 1932 to proposed planting of 2,500,000 acres in 1942. Dr. Paul J. Kolachov, Russian scientist who attended the Chicago meeting, reported that work had been done in acclimatizing the plant from southern to northern Russia. He contends that the plant can likewise be grown in various areas of Canada. The United States Government is also experimenting with the production of natural rubber from the Guayule plant but as this can be grown only in the semi-tropical areas of the United States it has less interest to Canada. If the kok-sagyz dandelion can be grown on a commercial scale in Western Canada it has great possibilities of adding another important source of cash income for the farmer."

Mr. Lamont also tells of four chemurgic laboratories erected and in full operation by the United States Government. Two of these are investigating the chemical uses of wheat. He says that Dr. Knight, the director of the laboratories, predicts that within a few years rubber tires will be developed from wheat and corn starches. Mr. Lamont recalls that three years ago his association asked the Dominion Government to establish a Western division of the National Research Council for just such work as is being undertaken by the chemurgic laboratories in the United States. In the light of the findings of the Chicago conference the Government will be urged again to take some steps, especially because of the possibility of relieving the rubber shortage by extracting the commodity from farm products.

MR. THORSON'S STRANGENESS

One of the weakest of the Federal Cabinet Ministers, in his somewhat equivocal advocacy of an affirmative answer to the plebiscite of April 27, is Mr. J. T. Thorson, the Minister of War Services. Not only does he continue to maintain his personal opposition to conscription for overseas service but he reiterates that it may never be necessary. It cannot be said of him that he is even doing lip service to the cause for which the plebiscite is designed, namely, by popular vote, to relieve the Prime Minister and his colleagues, of whom Mr. Thorson is one, from commitments against total war effort that they made prior to the election of March, 1940.

There is another angle of the kind of propaganda for which Mr. Thorson has been responsible. He told the people of his constituency—Selkirk, Man.—"I, myself, can name at least twenty-five constituencies in Ontario, some of them almost exclusively of British stock, where the sentiment is strong against the imposition of conscription." Mr. Thorson does not explain how he got his information and he has not lived and moved among the populations of these constituencies, unless Ottawa is one of them, and even there a political atmosphere pervades the scene which numbs the imagination and dulls any faculty there is of estimating public opinion in other parts of the country.

The Globe and Mail rightly asks upon what Mr. Thorson bases his "amazing conclusion"? Did he deduce it from information furnished to him by the fifty-six Liberal Members of Parliament who sit for Ontario constituencies or from the four Cabinet Ministers who represent the province at Ottawa? Mr. Thorson is probably drawing the long bow as a part of an argument to sustain his own opposition to conscription. There is, indeed, in his speeches and interviews on the subject of the plebiscite something in the nature of a Jekyll and Hyde aspect. The Minister of National War Services, because of his well-known attitude towards preparedness prior to the war, was regarded in many quarters as a strange choice for a Cabinet position. There is certainly a strangeness in the character of his advocacy of an affirmative answer to the forthcoming plebiscite.

HIS PILGRIMAGE

Give me my scallop-shell of quiet,
My staff of faith to walk upon,
My scrip of joy, immortal diet,
My bottle of salvation,
My gown of glory, hope's true gauge;
And thus I'll take my pilgrimage.

Blood must be my body's balmer;
No other balm will there be given;
Whilst my soul, like quiet palmer,
Traveleth towards the land of heaven,
Over the silver mountains,
Where Spring the nectar fountains,
There will I kiss
The bowl of bliss,
And drink mine everlasting fill
Upon every milken hill
My soul will be a-dry before;
But, after, it will thirst no more.

—Sir Walter Raleigh.

ABOU BEN ADHEM

Abou Ben Adhem (may his tribe increase)
Awoke one night from a deep dream of peace,
And saw within the moonlight in his room,
Making it rich and like a lily in bloom,
An angel writing in a book of gold;
Exceeding peace had made Ben Adhem bold,
And to the Presence in the room he said
"What writest thou?" The vision raised its head,
And with a look made all of sweet accord,
Answered, "The names of those who love the Lord."
"And is mine one?" said Abou. "Nay, not so,"
Replied the angel. Abou spoke more low,
But cheerly still, and said, "I pray thee then,
Write me as one who loves his fellow-men."
The angel wrote and vanished; the next night
It came again with a great awakening light,
And showed their names whom love of God hath blest,
And lo! Ben Adhem's name led all the rest.

—Leigh Hunt.

TO MY DAUGHTER

"These I would have you love . .
The hills and the driving rain,
Clouds and the sky above,
And the lazy plain.

"The music the winds bear—
And the music of men too
Though born of a wild despair
Will comfort you.

"Pictures and verse and flowers,
The beasts with patient eyes . .
If these are the things you love,
Love never dies."

—W. D. Gedlin, in The Poetry Review

SECRET FORCES

Our strength grows out of our weakness. Not until we are pricked and stung and sorely shot at, awakens the indignation which arms itself with secret forces. A great man is always willing to be little. Whilst he sits on the cushion of advantages, he goes to sleep. When he is pushed, tormented, defeated, he has a chance to learn something; he has been put on his wits, on his manhood; he has gained facts; learns his ignorance; is cured of the insanity of conceit, has got moderation and real skill.—Emerson.

Note and Comment

By SANDHAM GRAVES

Kindliness is a night-blooming flower. It goes unseen in the ordinary light of day. But let misfortune happen, and human nature flowers into such a succession of blossoms that one is taken by surprise. Like "Mark Tapley," human nature comes out best in a storm. Those who talk bitterly of fair-weather friends, might with as much, or more, reason speak of companions in a gale. For, the greater the storm, the more is kindliness made manifest in the great human family.

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It is a welcome thing to revise one's estimate of human nature upward; to set a higher mark on the value of this individual or that. It raises the value of all life to know that, not alone one individual, but a community of individuals is capable of kindliness; and that it will, and does, respond to those sudden squalls and tempests which upon occasion beset life. We are accustomed to seeing a little of that spirit at Christmas; but it is a startling thing to find it abroad at other seasons of the year.

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Experience teaches that under the hardest exterior may lie the warmest heart; that young or old, rich or poor, in good fortune or ill, there is a resident spirit of helpfulness that is, perhaps, mankind's most gracious possession. For here is unselfishness personified. Let those who will rant against the human experiment, the animal that learned to walk erect. I will have none of it. I have found such lights in mankind that they would keep the heavens illuminated if all of the constellations were suddenly to go out!

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Kindliness is merely one of those lights; but it is a great one. It comes from deep and unsuspected places, where, one would have thought, nothing of the kind could exist. It springs, full-flowering, from the stoniest type of soil. It seems to be ever in season; as it is seldom, if ever, out of place. It has warmed me to nearly everyone I have ever known. It has saved me from the jaundice and bitterness into which no man falls except to his own loss. For years, I have believed some individuals foolish, but none bad. It takes a storm, however, to show the concrete worth of mankind; the dignity and the eternal hope of the great human experiment.

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Kindliness is flowering today as much as it ever did in the world. The very storms, the very threats and disasters have called out larger and fuller blooms. Mankind, if we could see all, is making a supreme effort to lift life itself to a higher and more secured plane. And there man is on the side of the gods. There, time fights for him. There, all the results of all previous ages mark the mistakes of the past, and point the forward way. We have already the raw material. Human nature is kind by choice, and cruel only by deformity. Kindliness is a night-blooming flower. We hide it, and conceal it, and say it is not there. But in the very first storm we stop to gather its blossoms; provoked into blooming by daylight, all unawares!

Tides at Victoria

APRIL

Time of tides (Pacific Standard time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of April, 1942

Date	H.W. Time	Ft. H't	L.W. Time	Ft. H't	H.W. Time	Ft. H't	L.W. Time	Ft. H't
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

The time used is Pacific Standard for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blanks occur in the table, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

To find the depth of water on the sill of the Esquimalt Drydock at any tide, add 30 feet to the height of high water as above given.

PAPER FOR SOLDIERS

LONDON, April 17 (CP) — The Stars and Stripes, the United States Army's newspaper for soldiers away from home, rolled off the presses today. It is a five-column eight-page tabloid and carries news reports from The Associated Press, United Press and International News.

Letters to the Editor

No letter to the Editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exception. No letter should exceed 300 words in length.

THAT PLEBISCITE

Sir,—Mr. Editor, you state in your editorial of Saturday, the 11th, "it is needless to stress the importance of the plebiscite." Why? Whence and how is it important?

Whatever the people do will make no difference to Mr. King, for he [illegible] pledge "held no legal restriction but carried a moral obligation," thus meaning it was merely used to get himself returned to power.

The plebiscite idea could be classed as the most outstanding piece of chicanery of all time.

Has not Mr. Cardin stated that Mr. King said "he believed 'firmly' that conscription would not have to be imposed." Then Mr. Cardin makes a statement that should be clear for all to understand. It is: "There are groups demanding conscription and those people would replace Mr. King if he lost the confidence of the people." Meaning, vote Yes. While practically dangling a promise, there shall be no conscription, the thing is, keep Mr. King in power, for he suits Quebec.

But you know, don't you, Mr. Editor, that preparations are being made behind closed doors for an election on top of the result of the plebiscite, and the latter can be classed as a feeler. For again Mr. Cardin (who appears to be Mr. King's special henchman) states "the plebiscite does not ask you to approve or disapprove of conscription. You will not be voting for or against conscription."

Honor and duty should be held up before the people of Canada and not their minds and souls eternally being dragged through the mire of unclean "party" politics. "Party" political intrigue and the patronage that goes with same are both nauseating to the minds of the people and rotting the unity and stability of the country as a whole.

It would be a noble deed for Mr. King to show his patriotism to Canada by giving up the thing he worships, namely, political power. The latter at a time of "total" war should be wielded in the interest of "all" the people of the country and not "strained" to meet an avaricious "faction." ELLEN HART

Chipperfield Farm, East Sooke, B.C., April 14, 1942.

MISSING PARCELS

Sir,—Many people are unhappy over parcels never reaching their destination. There are many loved ones overseas looking eagerly forward to garments and special eatables, all so greatly needed by them and costing the sender not only money for postage, but sacrifices too numerous to estimate. One considers shipping and space, but that is not always to blame. Some parcels posted at same time and place have reached Britain and others never been heard of.

LOUISE E. MANN.

2483 Currie Road, Oak Bay, Victoria, B.C., April 15, 1942

"OTHER RAMIFICATIONS"

Sir,—I was much interested in your article in the editorial columns of today's issue where it said "and other ramifications." If you Editors of all papers could only "cut loose" and tell the real story of "other ramifications" such as Ireland, France, Belgium, Quebec and I might add perhaps Mexico, and most of the states of South America.

What is going to be the solution of "other ramifications"? We cannot go on like this indefinitely. Everyone seems to sidestep it, even the Press, and politicians of course. My guess is that any man who has the qualifications of a leader, who would get up and publicly denounce the menace, would immediately hit the top and his success from then on would be automatic. Maybe this is no time to battle it out. Maybe it will be necessary, for in this like all wars you are "for or against" and if a person or an organization is against us by propaganda or other adverse activities, then he should be dealt with as an enemy in our midst.

I did not start out to write so much but just to compliment you in the bold stand you have taken in dealing with the subject at all. Quislings have been instrumental in gaining most of the victories for our enemies. Let us see to it that we are not harboring any, and if so deal with them as they should be dealt with. R. KERSHAW

Ten Mile Point, Cadboro Bay, B.C., April 14, 1942

APPRECIATE VICTORIA'S HELP

Sir,—I feel sure that many of your readers will be interested in the following extract from a personal letter that my wife and I have received from Miss Stapleton, of Yateley, Hampshire, who is the honorary secretary of the Hampshire Clothing Branch of the Soldiers' Sailors and Airmen's Families Association. She writes:

"I have a room full of clothing and blankets here, which have been sent from all parts of the world. The generous help we have had has been amazing, but it is doubtful if this can continue. We have had more aid from Victoria than from anywhere else, and if you and Mrs. Dean are able to say how grateful we are and how very much it is all appreciated, you will be doing the cause a great service. There is much distress now, owing to the high cost of living and the high price of indifferent clothing, and those we help are so very grateful. Allowances and pensions are small to meet present needs. It is sad to see people getting poor and shabby and the children looking rather wretched and thin."

I will just add that we lived in Yateley for many years, and know what a fine work Miss Stapleton is doing.

A. C. H. DEAN, Lieut.-Colonel.

The Park Plaza, Avenue Road and Bloor Street, Toronto, April 12, 1942.

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The Daily Colonist of April 18, 1892)

A Bride From Burgoyne Bay — Mr. H. Brown, mate of the steamer Isabel, was accompanied by a fair companion when the Comox liner arrived today. The lady was none other than Mrs. Brown, nee Miss Jennie Wilson, who was united in marriage to Mr. Brown at her home, Burgoyne Bay, Saturday morning.

Preliminaries Disposed Of—At a meeting on Saturday night, at the Oriental Hotel, all arrangements were completed for the establishment in Victoria of two courts of the Canadian Order of Foresters. The two courts will have a combined charter membership of over fifty.

The Flagship Band Will Play—The ladies having charge of the concert and military drill to be given in the Roman Catholic Cathedral on the 27th instant have secured the Warspite band for that occasion. The programme will consist of barbell exercises, military drill and literary numbers.

The Canton Will Come — At a meeting of the encampment, I.O.O.F., this evening, the list of members for the Canton Militant will be presented, the charter will be applied for and uniforms ordered from headquarters. The Canton will be a thing of reality within a month, and will start with a membership of twenty-five or thirty.

The Observation Car

By G.B.

According to Aubrey the best way to conserve sugar is to put the second teaspoonful in first . . . A woman we know is so fond of birds that in addition to feeding them in her back garden she also puts out pieces of string, scraps of cloth and hair so they will have materials to make nests . . . The expression "pull the wool over one's eyes" dates from Elizabethan days and had its beginning in a peculiar law which made it compulsory to wear a wool cap on Sundays and holy days. Those who had no such caps tried to make them out of raw wool and thus literally pulled the wool over their eyes to comply with regulations . . . "The wits go wool gathering," also in current use, means idle thinking or wandering of the mind. An old English custom prescribed that those unable to learn a skilled trade because of their dull wits made a living by selling tufts of wool they gathered from fences, hedges and brambles . . . From a former resident of China, "Cataclysmic events in the Orient showed how unprepared were the British and Americans; how they underestimated strength, armaments, ability and intimate knowledge possessed by the Japanese. It is not unreasonable to assume that the power of the white race in the Orient will never be regained."

MEMOS OF THE LAST WAR AND THIS

Why didn't I wait to be drafted
To be led to the train by a band,
And put in a claim for exemptions
Oh why did I put up my hand?
Why didn't I wait for the banquet
Why didn't I wait for the cheers,
For the drafted men get all the credit
While I'm only a volunteer.

And nobody gave me a banquet
And nobody said a kind word,
The grind of the wheels of the engine
Was all the good-bye that I heard.
Then off to the camp I was herded
To train for the next half year,
Amid all the scuffle forgotten
I was only a volunteer.

I build the others their barracks
While burning alive in a tent,
I cleaned off a dozen parade grounds,
For the fellow that had to be sent.
Then along came the national army
And then it was made quite clear,
That the glory all goes to the drafted
And the work to the volunteer.

I've waded in mud in the trenches
I've frozen in Canada's cold,
I've walked my beat in the moonlight
Till the army's growing old
But I'm not on the honor roll
And the odd one may shed a tear,
But all the rest have forgotten
For I'm only a volunteer.

And I dreamed in far off Flanders
On that bloody field of hate,
I went over the top, by a bullet was stopped
And arrived at the Pearly Gate
And heard old Saint Peter saying
There is no room for your kind here,
This place is reserved for the drafted men
You are only a volunteer.

And maybe some day in the future
When my little boy sits on my knee,
And asks what I did in the conflict
And his shining eyes look up at me
I shall have to look back flushing,
To the eyes that so trusting peer
And tell him I missed being drafted
I was only a volunteer.

—Unknown.

NO BEEF SUBSIDY

OTTAWA, April 17 (CP).—Indication that the Wartime Prices and Trade Board does not propose the payment of a subsidy to help keep beef prices below the price ceiling were seen today in the statement of an official that the beef problem has been referred to the Government by the board.

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HEANEY'S

Bombers Reported Attacking Tokio

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flimsily built, long have been worried about air attacks.

TOKIO WAS WARNED

The capital has undergone air alerts when sighting its own planes because of this uneasiness and general expectation of attack. The people have been repeatedly warned to expect bombings. On March 4 when Marcus was attacked the Japanese announcer warned the people Tokio might be next.

Aside from newly constructed air raid shelters the city has a subway system which could be utilized. The city itself sprawls over 100 square miles, and there are hilly sections varying in height from fifty to 130 feet.

Aside from these few hills the city is comparatively level, having been reclaimed from swamp land long ago.

On the southeast coast of the main Japanese island, Tokio is the political, cultural and financial centre of the nation.

The most aristocratic quarter is Kojimachi, where the Imperial Palace, the embassies, legations and governmental departments are situated. The Imperial household owns about one-third of the land covered by the city.

On Tokio's outskirts there are many factories. These buildings multiplied steadily with Japan's rising industrial strength. Yokohama, eighteen miles by rail, is the principal port for the capital.

BERLIN REPORT

BERLIN (From German Broadcasts), April 18 (Saturday) (AP).—Yokohama, Tokio's main entry port eighteen miles from the Japanese capital, was attacked by air raiders today in bombings which included the Tokio region, D.N.B. said today.

The raiders were over Tokio at 12.30 p.m., but caused only slight damage, the official German News Agency reported.

Both Japanese fighters and anti-aircraft guns went into action.

NO CONFIRMATION

WASHINGTON, April 18 (Saturday) (AP).—The United States War and Navy Departments had no confirmation immediately early today on the Japanese announcement of the bombing of Tokio.

There was no indication of when a communique might be issued. It was pointed out that if the bombing was a long-distance attack, the aircraft would take many hours to return to their starting point and reports would be unavailable until then.

FIRST TIME RAIDED

(By The Canadian Press)

The long-awaited bombing of Tokio, the first installment of repayment for Pearl Harbor and the start of offensive warfare directly against the heart of Japan, apparently got under way at noon today (Saturday) for the Tokio radio reported that enemy planes had raided the city for the first time.

Japanese and English language versions varied. Why raiding planes would choose to strike by daylight instead of in the shelter of darkness was not discussed.

"A number of bombs were dropped," said the Japanese language report. "The enemy planes did not attempt to hit military establishments and inflicted damage on grammar schools, hospitals and cultural establishments.

"These planes were repulsed by a heavy barrage from our defence guns."

The announcer said: "I wish to reveal that our losses were exceedingly light."

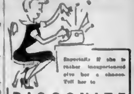
The English language broadcast earlier said service bases escaped damage and casualties had not been determined.

There was no immediate confirmation from the United States War and Navy Departments in Washington.

How the raid may have been executed was not immediately brought out. It suggested methods similar to the attack March 4 by a naval-air task force in Marcus Island, within 1,000 miles of the Japanese homeland, or the thirteen-bomber foraye against the Philippine invasion bases this week.

Japanese hangars, storages, ammunition and fuel depots and a radio station were smashed on Marcus Island.

Marcus is roughly 990 miles from Yokohama, the coastal port of entry for Tokio, and 3,000 miles from Honolulu.



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Merchant Seamen Are Entertained

A gay party was held on Thursday evening for men of a visiting ship at the Connaught Seamen's Institute. Mrs. N. Bertucci played for the community singing and dancing, and Miss Ada Burt was a capable master of ceremonies. Refreshments were served at the close of the evening. Thanks were expressed to the hospitality committee and to the young hostesses who gave their time to make the party so successful. Mr. and Mrs. Watson, of the institute, and their family were of great assistance. The great work of the institute is to do all possible in entertainment of the men of the merchant navy who are risking their lives every day at sea. Mrs. J. W. Church and Mrs. E. M. Cavin, of the ladies' committee, were present during the evening.

"Inglewood" Will Be Thrown Open For Wings Drive

For two weeks, April 18 to May 3, inclusive, "Inglenook," the beautiful gardens of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Waddell, 3840 Maplewood Road, will be open to the public. The entire proceeds will go to the Silver Wings drive which is being sponsored by the Women's Auxiliary to the Air Services. "Inglenook" has been one of the outstanding show gardens of Victoria for thirteen years. Mr. Waddell, who has traveled widely, has filled his gardens with delightful beauty spots and reproductions of corners of noted Scottish gardens.

With the advance of Spring "Inglenook" has become a bower of flowers, amidst original landscaping which will appeal to all garden lovers.

The garden is centrally situated and may be easily reached by taking the Quadra or Lake Hill bus to Tattersall Drive, signs at this intersection marking the way.

HER BELIEF

"She is a woman who has gone through a great deal for her belief."

"Indeed! What is her belief?"

"She believes she can wear a No. 4 shoe on a No. 7 foot."

According to Culbertson

Theoretically speaking, a defender should lead through probable strength up to weakness in dummy. Theory, however, always should take a back seat when a more practical, concrete plan is available.

West, dealer.
North-South vulnerable.

NORTH
♠ J 7 5
♥ 7 6 5
♦ A 3 2
♣ K J 8 5

WEST
♠ A 9 3 2
♥ K J
♦ K Q J 9 4
♣ 7 6

EAST
♠ K
♥ 10 9 8 4 3 2
♦ 10 8 7 6
♣ 10 9

SOUTH
♠ Q 10 8 6 4
♥ A Q
♦ 5
♣ A Q 4 3 2

The bidding

West	North	East	South
1 ♦	Pass	1 ♥	1 ♠
2 ♦	2 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

West opened the king of diamonds, which was won by dummy's ace. A low spade was led from dummy, East's king holding the trick. At this point East made the error of returning a heart. Declarer refused the offered finesse, forced out the spade ace, and ruffed the diamond return. He then drew trumps and cashed his five club tricks, finally conceding a heart. Thus only two spade tricks and one heart were lost.

If East had returned a diamond at trick three, South would have been forced to ruff (if he discarded his losing heart, a third diamond play would bring the same result), and would now be even with West in trumps. West could now duck the second spade lead, win the third, and with dummy exhausted of trumps again force declarer with a diamond. West's long trump and last diamond then would defeat the contract two tricks.

East's heart return was based on very superficial analysis. If South held six spades, the contract probably could not be defeated, for West could hardly hold the A K or A Q of hearts. But since West was marked with the ace of spades (after the king held), East should have visualized the very situation that prevailed, and should have seen that the contract could be defeated if West originally had held four spades.

MARINE and TRANSPORTATION

SALMON PASS IS PROPOSED

Fisheries' Commission Takes Steps to Solve Hell's Gate Problems

VANCOUVER, April 17 (CP).—The International Pacific Salmon Fisheries Commission has recommended to the Canadian and United States Governments the construction of a temporary fish pass on the east bank of Hell's Gate Canyon of the Fraser River, the commission announced in a statement here today.

"Intimation has already been received by the commission of the approval of emergency funds from the two governments aggregating $44,000 with which this pass, if approved, may be constructed, as well as to arrange for gathering of biological and engineering detail still necessary for a complete understanding of the conditions arising during the widely varying water levels and which the sockeye (salmon) must face during the several months the runs reach Hell's Gate," the statement said.

The commission wound up a three-day annual meeting here last night at which Tom Reid, M.P. for New Westminster, presided.

STUDIED BLOCKADES

It studied the periodical blockades at Hell's Gate Canyon, where last year thousands of salmon were lost in attempting to reach spawning grounds farther up the river. Numbers of the salmon die yearly in attempting to get through the swift-flowing gorge, bashing themselves against the rocks or dying in back-eddies.

The commission statement said:

"Of outstanding importance during the past year was the definite determination of the existence of serious periodical blockades at Hell's Gate Canyon. They are regarded as of utmost significance. There was immediate concentration of efforts in studying and planning ways and means for overcoming the obstacles that confront the salmon there in their migration to the upper spawning areas. This has been going on all Winter and commission scientists are at the moment still continuing important surveys of water conditions and physical formations of the canyon."

The statement says that it is necessary to obtain the approval of the Governments of Canada and the United States "before undertaking any work where the removal of obstructions is involved."

EXPERIMENTAL

"The proposed temporary fish pass will be largely experimental," the statement says. "In addition to giving the commission an opportunity of studying the effectiveness of this method of meeting the situation it is believed that some sockeye will be able to utilize the pass during the approaching season, the exact volume being dependent upon local conditions prevailing during the time of the run."

Experiments are planned by the commission to determine the feasibility of taking eggs from salmon unable to pass Hell's Gate and planting them in the headwaters of the river, though the commission members are "rather skeptical" of the success of the scheme.

Feasibility of moving adult salmon from below Hell's Gate to a point above it will also be looked into.

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11:00 a.m.	FERRY	11:30 a.m.
2:00 p.m.	DAILY	0:30 p.m.
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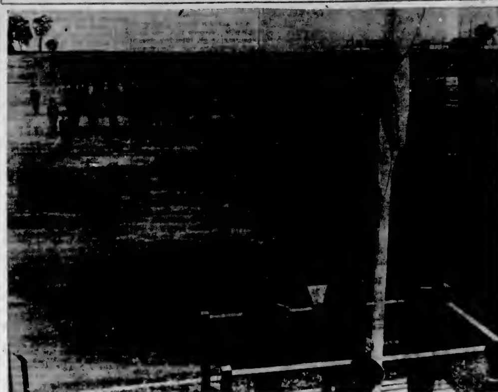

Visiting naval establishments on Wednesday of this week, His Excellency the Earl of Athlone, Governor-General of Canada, spent some time at H.M.C.S. Royal Roads, where future officers of the Royal Canadian Navy are learning some of the things it is essential for a commissioned man to know. Several platoons of sub-lieutenants are shown after carrying out a drill evolution, while His Excellency and Commander J. M. Grant, R.C.N., captain of the school, stand at the salute on the reviewing stand.

Mechanized Train Creates Interest In B.C. Interior

SICAMOUS, B.C., April 17 (CP).—Personell aboard the Canadian army train traveling across Canada to give Canadians some idea of the mechanized equipment of the Canadian army are being greeted with the "thumbs up" salute by crowds at Interior railway stations as they pass through.

At Three Valley, a small way station forty miles east of Sicamous, Japanese evacuated from coastal districts hailed the train with the same greeting. The Japanese are working on construction of the Trans-Canada Highway.

The train is en route to the Okanagan Valley and is due in Vancouver late Sunday night. To date 828,750 persons have visited the train.

British Columbia soldiers aboard the train include Lt. J. G. James, Sgt. P. J. Mallett, Cpl. G. Balzak, Cpl. R. M. Mills, Pte. H. O. Mitchell, Gnr. R. A. Richards, all of Vancouver; Cpl. G. M. Meugens, Victoria, and Cpl. C. F. Rutherglen, Nelson.

Price of Salmon Will Remain at Level for 1941

OTTAWA, April 17 (CP).—The Wartime Prices and Trade Board announced tonight on behalf of A. Neil McLean, fish products administrator, that although fresh salmon is a seasonal product and supplies of it vary from time to time, the price will not be allowed to increase over that of 1941.

The order stipulates that no processor, wholesaler or retailer will be allowed to sell any fresh-caught salmon at a price greater than that obtained by him in the corresponding month of 1941 for the same kind, brand, grade or quality of product.

A previous order of the fish products administrator set the price for red and white fresh spring salmon caught in British Columbia waters. The new order has been widened in scope to include fish caught in the waters of both the Eastern and the Western Coasts and of Newfoundland.

TRANS-CANADA STARTS STANDARDIZATION OF ENGINES ON AIRCRAFT

WINNIPEG, April 17.—Following the policy laid down by the Dominion Government calling for standardization of equipment as far as possible, Trans-Canada Air Lines have embarked on a programme of uniformity in so far as airplane engines are concerned, according to an announcement today by O. T. Larson, vice-president.

Work has already started installing twin-row Wasp engines in all of its Lockheed "14's," which will give these fine commercial transport planes an even better performance than they are now giving daily.

Test flights have been flown on the first of the twelve planes in which the heavier power has been installed, and expert test crews report most satisfactory results from every angle.

The entire change-over programme has been directed by T.C.A. staff and is a further example of the daily contribution of Canada's war effort by company personnel.

Completion of the work will standardize the power in all T.C.A. aircraft, which will result in operating economies and a reduction in spare parts requirements, thereby easing the pressure on engine manufacturers.

Crew Member of Coastal Vessel Lost Overboard

PRINCE RUPERT, B.C., April 17 (CP).—The loss at sea of Herbert Webster, thirty-seven-year-old ship's waiter from Vancouver, was reported by officers of the coastal steamer Prince George when it arrived here today from Vancouver.

Webster was discovered missing yesterday morning when it was found he had not slept in his bunk during the night. He was last seen by Chief Steward J. A. Vhartley at 2:30 that morning when the ship was off Sisters Island, near Cape Lazo, in the Gulf of Georgia. He had been talking in a despondent vein the previous night and had given his watch to a fellow waiter.

Webster leaves his widow in Seattle and a sister in Vancouver. He had worked in clubs and hotels in Vancouver before joining the Prince George about eight months ago.

TEST WOODEN TIRE

EDMONTON, April 17 (CP).—A wooden tire, designed and manufactured in Edmonton, is currently being tested on the wheel of a dairy wagon, the Western Cabinet Manufacturing Company said today. Constructed from Alberta birch, thirty-two separate wooden blocks went into the tire and are held together by two circular iron bands, bolted to the blocks.

MAIL AND SHIPS

COASTING CRAFT

VICTORIA-VANCOUVER — Ss. Princess Charlotte or Ss. Princess Alice will leave Victoria daily for Vancouver at 1:30 p.m. Ss. Princess Charlotte or Ss. Princess Alice will arrive at Victoria daily from Vancouver at 5:45 p.m. Ss. Princess Joan or Ss. Princess Elizabeth will leave Victoria daily for Vancouver at 12 midnight; Ss. Princess Joan or Ss. Princess Elizabeth will arrive at Victoria daily from Vancouver at 7 a.m.; Saturdays only there will be a special sailing from Victoria for Vancouver at 1:30 p.m.; Sundays only, there will be a special sailing from Vancouver for Victoria with 6:45 p.m. time of arrival.

VICTORIA-SEATTLE—Ss. Princess Charlotte or Ss. Princess Alice will leave Victoria daily for Seattle at 4:30 a.m.; Ss. Princess Charlotte or Ss. Princess Alice will arrive at Victoria daily from Seattle at 12:30 p.m.; Ss. Iroquois will leave Victoria daily for Seattle at 3:15 a.m.; Ss. Iroquois will arrive at Victoria daily from Seattle at 8:30 a.m.

VICTORIA-PORT ANGELES—Ss. Iroquois will leave Victoria for Port Angeles daily at 3:15 a.m.; Ss. Iroquois will arrive daily at Victoria from Port Angeles at 8:30 a.m.

SWARTZ BAY-SALT SPRING ISLAND—Ms. Cy Peck will leave Swartz Bay for Fulford Harbor daily, except Wednesday, at 9:30 a.m., 5 p.m.; Ms. Cy Peck will leave Fulford Harbor for Swartz Bay daily except Wednesday at 8:15 a.m., 4 p.m.

BRENTWOOD-MILL BAY—Ms. Cascade will leave Brentwood for Mill Bay daily at 9 a.m., 10 a.m., 11 a.m., 2 p.m., 3 p.m., 4 p.m.; Ms. Cascade will leave Mill Bay for Brentwood daily at 9:30 a.m., 10:30 a.m., 11:30 a.m., 2:30 p.m., 3:30 p.m., 4:30 p.m.

VICTORIA-GULF ISLANDS-VANCOUVER—Ss. Princess Mary will leave Victoria at 10:30 a.m. Tuesdays, for Vancouver via Gulf Islands. Ss. Princess Mary will arrive at Victoria via Gulf Islands at 5:30 p.m. Mondays.

NANAIMO-VANCOUVER — Ss. Princess Elaine will leave Nanaimo daily except Saturday and Sunday for Vancouver at 7:30 a.m. and 3:45 p.m.; Ss. Princess Elaine will leave Nanaimo on Saturday only for Vancouver at 7:30 a.m., 3:45 p.m. and 8:15 p.m.; Ss. Princess Elaine will leave Nanaimo on Sunday only for Vancouver at 5:45 p.m.

NANAIMO-GABRIOLA — Ms. Atrevida will leave Canadian Pacific Wharf, Nanaimo, daily (except Wednesday) at [illegible] p.m. for Gabriola.

Boats for Hire, Pleasure Craft In New Order

OTTAWA, April 17 (CP).—Motorboats rented by the hour are classed as pleasure craft under the gasoline rationing order, the Munitions and Supply Department said today.

On the basis of present rationing, the total allowance for the whole season would be enough to keep them in operation for from ten to fifteen hours. The gasoline must be purchased with coupons by the boat owner or his representative.

"This means, in effect, that the total renting period, on the present basis, will not be more than ten to fifteen hours," G. R. Cottrelle, oil controller, said.

LIFEBOAT BLOWN TO PIECES BY TORPEDO

NEW ORLEANS, April 17 (AP).—A lifeboat pushing off from a torpedoed South African ship in the Atlantic, March 7, was blown to pieces by a second torpedo explosion and its ten occupants were killed, six survivors of the sunken ship declared on arrival here from the West Indies.

Another boatload of survivors who rowed for twenty-eight hours before reaching shore at St. Vincent's, British West Indies, was trailed by two enemy submarines, but escaped after an American patrol boat appeared.

The remainder of the fifty-one crew members, with the exception of two who died en route from burns, rowed ashore in three lifeboats, the second mate said here.

"Cliffs of Dover" Featured Theme Of Annual Ball

The usual capacity crowd attended the firemen's annual ball at the Empress Hotel last evening, when the ballroom was attractively decorated with a large backdrop of the white cliffs of Dover, with bluebirds darting across the sky. Ivy and Spring blossoms decked the orchestra platform, and the popular augmented orchestra played a variety of old and modern favorites, "The White Cliffs of Dover," being the theme of the evening.

Large numbers of civic officials and their wives were among the dancers, and the firemen again proved themselves to be admirable hosts.

A noteworthy feature of this year's dance was the presence of many uniformed officers and men of the three services.

The ball committee comprised J. A. McAllister, president; G. Rice, vice-president; K. Mills, manager; Gray Russell, secretary-treasurer; A. Yule, C. R. Griffin, A. McDonald and C. Bruce. The role of master of ceremonies was efficiently carried out by H. S. Carter, who was assisted by W. Blair.

On the reception committee were Firewardens Alderman Archie Wills, Alderman D. Lloyd Morgan, Alderman Edward Williams, Fire Chief Alex Munroe, Assistant Fire Chiefs J. A. Raymond and R. Taylor.

The guests received attractive "fireman's helmet" souvenir programmes which have for many years been associated with this annual event. A sit-down supper was served in the main dining room and in the Tudor Grill, the tables bright with Spring flowers.

FIFTEEN NAMED IN CASUALTIES

Killed, Missing and Injured Airmen Included in 241st R.C.A.F. List

OTTAWA, April 17 (CP).—The Royal Canadian Air Force, in its 241st casualty list of the war today, reported two men killed on active service overseas; three killed on active service in Canada and one missing after flying operations in Canada. The list also included the names of seven men previously reported missing overseas, and now for official purposes presumed dead, one dangerously injured on active service overseas, and one seriously injured on active service overseas. Following is the latest list of casualties, with next of kin:

Overseas—Killed on active service: McCarthy, William Francis, P.O., York Mills, Ont.; Murray, William Jones, P.O., Medicine Hat, Alta. Previously reported missing now for official purposes presumed dead: Buchanan, George Henderson Pepper, sergeant, Saskatoon; Camp, Sydney Clarence, flight sergeant, Collingwood, Ont.; Dixon, John Martin, sergeant, Brockweir, Lossiemouth, Scotland; Goat, Frederick James, sergeant, Montreal South, Que.; Hardesty, Gilbert Peter Mallon, sergeant, Winnipeg; Jowett, William, sergeant, Sherbrooke, Que.; MacMillan, Russel Hamilton, flight sergeant, Toronto. Dangerously injured on active service: Jollymour, Harold George, P.O., J7230; Mrs. H. G. Jollymour, wife, 1109 Nelson Street, Vancouver. Seriously injured on active service: Sprung, Robert Douglas Lowry, sergeant, Edmonton.

Canada—Killed on active service: Bower, Tom Duncan, L.A.C., Huddersfield, England; Cannings, Fred Curtis, L.A.C., Ulcombe, England; Deans, G. H. C., acting L.A.C., Langs, Scotland. Missing after flying operations: Foster, Robert Richard, L.A.C., Waterloo, Iowa.

WILL RAISE ALLOWANCES

Mothers' Allowance Act Regulations Varied to Grant $2.50 Bonus

The Provincial Government has acted to increase the actual payments made under the Mothers' Allowance Act by from $2.50 to $5.00 per month, commencing immediately, Hon. G. S. Pearson said yesterday, in confirmation of a statement issued at Vancouver by a member of the advisory board under the statute.

Original provisions under the act had permitted payments up to $40 to mothers and $7.50 in respect of each dependent child under a fixed age. These sums, however, had not been paid, as regulations passed under the statute had fixed the amount at $35 in place of $40, Mr. Pearson said.

TO START NOW

Now the regulations have been broadened, and the $40 permitted under the act has been made the top allowance, where conditions warrant its payment. The action was taken by the Provincial Executive recently, and will apply on April cheques to dependent mothers, and their children.

In most cases the increase will amount to $2.50 monthly, though in some instances $5 additional may be paid, the Minister of Labor said. The increase will apply generally to all applicants, within the discretion of the Mothers' Allowance Board.

The step was forecast when the Province acted recently to increase old age pensions, in view of higher living costs. It is not considered as a "cost of living" bonus, Mr. Pearson said, but a broader interpretation of the Mothers' Allowance Statute.

"VARIETIES" TROUPE ENTERTAINS FORCES

Another capacity audience of the four services greeted James McGrath's "Varieties" at the Knights of Columbus Hut on Sunday last, including pupils from the Violet Fawkes Dancing Academy and some of Victoria's popular artists.

The following took part: Tune Termites, Sanderson Twins, Maxine High, Ted Braggs, Reg Stoley, Shirley Jackson, Frances Farmer, Mavis McCahill, Ida Lalonde, "Matey" Griffen, Dorothy Graham, Maxine Simpson, Nora Rushworth and Bert Lilley.

A musical quiz, a novelty introduced by Paul Michelin and contested by the Navy, Army, Air Force and C.W.A.C.S., was highly amusing and was won by the navy representative. Sam Harrison was stage manager and Marmaduke Bruce projectionist. Refreshments were served by ladies of the K. of C. Auxiliary. The Pacific Rollers will be the highlight of the "Varieties" for April 26.

REVERSE

"Is this the pugilist who was run into by a motorist?" asked the house surgeon.

"No; he's the motorist who ran into the pugilist."

FOUND HANGING IN FERNIE JAIL

Hungarian Prisoner in for Minor Trial Takes Own Life in Cells

Temporarily deranged, Joseph Seman, [illegible] Fernie lock-up on a minor offence, hanged himself at 3 p.m. on Thursday while left alone for fifteen minutes. The body was cut down by Fernie jailers, who reported to headquarters of the Provincial Police. Inquest was being arranged.

A resident of Natal, B.C., Joseph Seman was forty-two years of age and single. He was held under detention in the Fernie jail on a charge of intoxication, and for investigation in connection with another matter; both of minor import. Left alone between 3 p.m. and 3:15 p.m., Seman tore strips from a canvas mattress, and knotted these into a rope; which he then tied to a steam pipe in his cell.

His body was found shortly after the hanging, but too late to prevent the tragedy. It is believed that the man acted while temporarily deranged, as little more serious than a possible fine faced the trial which had not yet taken place. Relatives were not known.

Obituary

HEMINGWAY—Funeral services for Mrs. Mary Ann Hemingway will be held Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock in South Saanich United Church. Rev. John Turner will officiate, and the remains will be laid at rest in the family plot at Shady Creek Cemetery. S. J. Curry & Son have charge of arrangements.

WOOSTER—The remains of Pilot Officer Warren Somers Wooster were forwarded yesterday afternoon to New Westminster, where funeral services and interment will take place. S. J. Curry & Son had charge of arrangements.

CLEALL—Funeral services for Charles Cleall took place yesterday afternoon in the Thomson Funeral Home. Rev. James Hood officiated. Interment was made at Colwood Burial Park with the following acting as pallbearers: J. Green, H. Bradley (Britannia Branch), E. Y. Aitken and J. H. Wilcox, Pro Patria, Canadian Legion.

SCOTT—The death occurred in Joliette, Quebec, on Monday of Mrs. Jean Thornton Scott, aged fifty-six years, wife of William Scott. Mrs. Scott was born in Scotland and had been a resident of Joliette for the past twenty years. She was for many years a resident of Esquimalt before leaving for Quebec. Besides her widower, she is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Fred Cockram, in Joliette. The remains will arrive on Sunday's boat and funeral services will be conducted in McCall Bros.' Funeral Chapel on Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Rev. Hugh A. McLeod will officiate. Interment will be made in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery.

GILES—Born in Ontario and a resident of Victoria for five years, Mrs. Mary Emily Giles, wife of William Henry Giles, 1379 Vista Heights, died at St. Joseph's Hospital Thursday. She was forty-nine years of age. Besides her widower she is survived by two sons, Howard, Victoria, and William, Vancouver, and one daughter, Mrs. J. Richardson, Victoria, and five grandchildren. The funeral will be conducted from McCall Bros.' Funeral Chapel at 2 o'clock today, Rev. T. H. McAllister officiating. Burial will take place at Royal Oak Burial Park.

WALTON—Mrs. Annie Walton, wife of William H. Walton, 1456 Clifford Street, died at her home Thursday at the age of seventy-three. Born in Lancashire, England, Mrs. Walton had lived in Victoria thirty-one years. Besides her widower, she is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Henry Pickles in England, and Mrs. A. E. Read, Victoria, a brother and sister in England, and seven grandchildren. Funeral services will be conducted at 3:30 o'clock Monday afternoon at McCall Bros.' Funeral Chapel, Rev. James Hood officiating. Interment will be made in Colwood Burial Park.

IRONSIDE—The funeral of Charles Stuart Ironside will be held from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel this morning at 11 o'clock, Very Rev. S. H. Elliott, Dean of Columbia, officiating. Interment will be made in Colwood Burial Park.

LAING—Funeral services for Jessie Christina Laing will be conducted from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel at 3 o'clock this afternoon, Rev. T. G. Griffiths officiating. Burial will take place in Ross Bay Cemetery.

McMILLAN—Funeral services for Mrs. Susan McMillan will be conducted today at 2 o'clock in Sands Mortuary, Limited. Interment will be made in Royal Oak Burial Park.

CULL—A large congregation attended the funeral of Robert Lindsay Cull held yesterday afternoon from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel, Ven. Archdeacon Nunns conducting the service. The hymns "Onward, Christian Soldiers" and "O God, Our Help in Ages Past" were sung. The following were pallbearers: Harold Simpson, Charles Jackson, T. W. Gravlin, A. Dyer, H. W. Kiddell and H. E. Plaxton. The remains were laid at rest in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery.

HAMILTON—Rev. Fred Comley conducted the funeral services yesterday afternoon in St. Alban's Church for Mrs. Rose Emily Hamilton in the presence of many friends. The following were pallbearers: A. R. Wyth, D. Swan, W. Grant, L. Pair, W. McCorkall and P. Mitchell. The remains were laid at rest in Colwood Burial Park. Hayward's B.C. Funeral Co. was in charge.

McINNES—Funeral services for Mrs. Sarah McInnes were held yesterday afternoon in Sands Mortuary, Limited. Rev. George Biddle officiated. The congregation sang the hymn, "Abide With Me." Interment was made in Royal Oak Burial Park, with the following as pallbearers: C. Carson, W. McKenzie, E. G. Hughes, Harold Edward Ker, Frank Pegg and G. J. Carr. Mrs. McInnes was a valued member of Mizpah Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, Calgary.

MORGAN—The death occurred yesterday at the family residence, 1220 Victoria Avenue, of Helen Margaret Morgan, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Morgan. She is survived by her parents and an aunt, Margaret Morgan. Funeral services will take place on Monday at 2.30 o'clock in the Thomson Funeral Home. Rev. F. R. G. Dredge, assisted by Rev. Dr. W. J. Sipprell, will officiate, and interment will be made in Colwood Burial Park.

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LIQUOR BOARD BUYS BUILDING

Temple Block on Fort Street Acquired by Province For $12,000

Concluding a deal that has been in prospect for some time, the Liquor Control Board has purchased the Temple Building, on lower Fort Street, which is to be remodelled as offices and administrative quarters for the board, W. F. Kennedy, liquor commissioner, announced yesterday. The Province acquired the property for $12,000, Mr. Kennedy said, from the Logan and Bullen estates, with Meharey & Company acting for the principals.

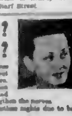
The acquisition of the Temple Building, a red brick and stone structure at the foot of Fort Street erected in 1894 for Robert Ward & Company, will enable the Liquor Control Board to move its administrative offices from the Belmont Block, required for other purposes. The structure is better known as the former site of the B.C. Telephone Company, and was used recently as the Citizens' Recreation Rooms.

CALLED BIDS

A year ago the Liquor Control Board called tenders for the erection of a new office block; but the bids were rejected at the time and no immediate change was made. Later, expansion of the offices of the Western Air Command forced the board to consider moving; and negotiations for the new site were commenced. In a month's time renovations now starting at the Temple Building will be completed, and the board will then transfer its staffs.

The Liquor Control Board's Victoria warehouse is nearby at the corner of Wharf Street.

Had Another Bad Night? Couldn't You Get Any Rest?



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Social Activities and Notes of Personal Interest

Social and Personal

Following the concluding session of the twenty-ninth annual meeting of the Provincial Chapter, I.O.D.E., yesterday afternoon, Mrs. W. C. Woodward entertained the officers, executive delegates, visiting members, officers of the Victoria Municipal Chapter, and regents of Victoria primary chapters at tea at Government House. The guests were received in the drawing-room by Mrs. Woodward and her daughter, Miss Elizabeth Woodward. Lieut. Neil Fraser, R.C.N.V.R., Capt. J. G. Cromack and Miss Ruth MacLean were in attendance. The drawing-room was arranged with beautiful Spring flowers and on the tea tables in the ballroom, bowls of daffodils and tulips were particularly lovely, lighted green tapers adding to the charm of the effect.

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Gifts Presented

Complimenting Miss Betty Ray, a May bride-to-be, a surprise miscellaneous shower was held at her home, Dupplin Road, last evening, Mrs. R. Askew, her aunt, being hostess. Upon entering the room, little Bobby Askew presented the bride-to-be with a corsage of pink carnations and narcissi. The gifts were nestled under a huge pink and yellow umbrella, with clear Cellophane used effectively as rain. Miss Dorothy Graham and Mrs. F. Harris won prizes in the evening's programme of games. The supper table was prettily decorated, a silver basket of narcissi, flanked by pink candles in silver holders forming the main centrepiece, while at the place of honor stood a miniature bride and groom under the traditional wedding bell. The guests present included Mesdames M. Webster, J. Benfield, L. Wagg, M. Perullet, J. Graham, D. Watt, W. Ellis, R. Smyth, A. Patterson, R. Erwin, H. Wagg, R. Askew, C. Gwyer, F. Harris, J. Smethurst, G. Hendy, N. E. Ray, S. Matthews, A. Wagg, Misses Marjorie Gwyer, Violet Gill, Eileen Ellis, Doreen Askew, Dorothy Graham, Jean Ray, Roberta Ray, May Wagg, Isabelle Wagg, Winnie Poole and Masters Bobby Askew, Murray Ray and Bobby Smyth.

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Surprise Party

Miss Phyllis Corbett, who is leaving tomorrow to join the R.C.A.F. (W.D.) was the guest of honor at a surprise party last evening at the home of Mrs. R. D. McCaw, St. Patrick Street, when a number of the elder members of the Intermediate Society were present. Miss Corbett is a well-known young vocalist, who has given many performances for the military hospitals and at the Sidney Hostess House throughout the Winter months. She was presented with an air force blue leather traveling case and gifts of hankerchiefs and candy. Musical contests were enjoyed during the evening. The supper table was centred with a beautiful blossoming pink cactus plant in a blue pottery bowl. Mrs. Harry Lasenby and Mrs. McCaw presided.

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Presentation Made

Miss Marion Kersey, who is shortly to be married, was the guest of honor at a delightful party on Thursday evening at the home of Miss Joan Hall, Craigdarroch, when members of the Board of Health and Bureau of Vital Statistics staffs, of which she was a member, presented her with an electric clock. The supper table was centred with an original naval motif, small ships traveling in convoy with Union Jacks dotting the waves. Daffodils and narcissi were used to decorate the living-room. Presiding at the supper table was Mrs. A. George, and among the invited guests were Mrs. V. White, Misses Grace Cuthbert, Beth McNair, Christine Watt, Alice Gray, Ruth Harrison, Margaret McMartin, Marguerite Hassenfratz, Alison Chrow, Audrey Lovell, Leila Garland, Joan Futcher, Peggy Beech, Dorothy Baker and J. Patrick.

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Miscellaneous Shower

Miss Maidie Thompsett, whose marriage to Mr. J. B. McCann will take place next week, was the guest of honor on Thursday evening when Miss Norma Hockins entertained about twelve former classmates of the bride-to-be at a miscellaneous shower. Upon her arrival, Miss Thompsett was presented with a corsage bouquet of rosebuds and heather. The gifts were arranged around a doll-bride, which stood on a long table between lighted tapers in silver candelabra. Plum blossom in silver vases formed a charming background for the setting. A large chromium bowl filled with varicolored roses stood at the other end of the table. After Miss Thompsett had opened her gifts, a buffet supper was served.

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Farewell Party

On Thursday evening, at her home, 949 Empress Avenue, Mrs. E. G. Stevens was hostess at a farewell party in honor of Miss Dorothy Hood, who is leaving this week-end to join the R.C.A.F. (W.D.). During the course of the evening the guest of honor was presented with a leather writing case. After an enjoyable evening of dancing a buffet supper was served. Among the invited guests were Mr. and Mrs. T. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. F. Hall, Mrs. T. Wilcox, Mrs. R. Montgomery, Messrs. Bill Johnson, Bert Humphries, M. Bunting and J. Swansborough.

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Arrive for Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Brasher and their daughters, Yvonne and Joanne, arrived from Seattle yesterday afternoon to attend the wedding of Miss Joyce Ada Ray and Sergeant Reg Fisher, R.C.A.F., which will take place this evening. They are staying with Mrs. Brasher's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Ray, 1184 Esquimalt Road. Miss Mary Pawl, Vancouver, has also arrived for the wedding.

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Bride-to-Be Honored

In honor of Miss May Sullivan, who is to be married shortly, Mrs. Claude Sluggett entertained at tea recently at her home on West Saanich Road, Brentwood Bay. The bride-to-be was presented with a corsage bouquet of white and pink carnations and sweet peas and a basket of cups and saucers from those present, after which tea was served by the hostess. The invited guests were Mrs. C. B. Moss, Mrs. Ron Nott, Mrs. Norman Tanner, Mrs. Roy Pitzer, and the Misses May Sullivan, Nellie Styan, Gladys Tanner, Joyce Maddock, Barbara Atkins, Phyllis, Mrytle and Grace Sluggett.

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Entertainer Here

Mr. Garfield White, of Vancouver, popular female impersonator on the Mainland, will visit Victoria over the week-end and is expected to take part in troop entertainments tomorrow at Fort Macaulay, Golf Hill Camp and Mary Hill Fort. He will also sing this evening at the concert arranged for the visiting hotelmen at the Empress Hotel.

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Home on Leave

Lieut. John MacDonald, R.C.C.S., who has been training at Vimy Barracks, Kingston, is spending a week's leave with his parents, Major and Mrs. J. C. MacDonald, Island Road.

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At the Sussex

Friends of Mrs. W. Fleet Robertson, Seattle, will be pleased to know that she has left St. Joseph's Hospital, and is now staying at the Sussex, Douglas Street.

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From Tacoma

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Welsh are here from Tacoma to spend three weeks at the Empress Hotel. Mr. Welsh is editor of The Tacoma News-Tribune.

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Arrives From Edmonton

Mrs. G. Boothe arrived in Victoria yesterday from Edmonton and will spend a few days' holiday here at the Empress Hotel.

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From San Diego

Mr. M. A. Wylde is a visitor in the city from San Diego, California.

Witty Kitty

The gay young blade says it used to be exercise kept his weight down, but army routine seems to bring it up.

—Photo by Savannah.

CPL. BERNHARD KJEKSTAD MISS JOYCE SCURRAH

Of widespread interest is the announcement made today by Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Scurrah, 19 King George Terrace, of the engagement of their second daughter, Helen Joyce, to Corporal Bernhard Kjekstad, Canadian Dental Corps, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kjekstad, 820 St. Charles Street. The wedding will take place quietly on Saturday, April 25.

P.-T.A. Activities

TILLICUM

The Tillicum Parent-Teacher Association will meet on Monday at 8 p.m. in the Tillicum School. It is hoped Mr. Michell will demonstrate the new moving picture machine. Mrs. P. Holmes will be the soloist. All interested are invited to attend.

QUADRA

The regular meeting of the Quadra Branch was held recently when it was decided to give a donation to the April Shower of Dimes in aid of the Solarium. Mrs. Craig and Mr. and Mrs. George were delegates to the recent convention in Vancouver. A certificate was awarded Mrs. Roskeley for completing the leadership course. The successful Spring tea held on Wednesday was under the convenership of Mrs. Pomeroy. The flower-decked tea tables gave a gay atmosphere to the auditorium. Mr. P. E. George, president of the P.-T.A., welcomed the guests. The short musical programme was arranged by Mr. Green, who himself rendered two cornet solos. Mrs. Stark and Mrs. Tillyer were in receipt of customs and Mrs. McLellan was in charge of the home cooking table.

LAKE COWICHAN

The Lake Cowichan P.-T.A. recently held its annual meeting, at which Mr. J. Saywell was chairman. Mr. Saywell, who was appointed delegate to the Vancouver P.-T.A. convention, gave a report, quoting many items of interest from the various speeches. New officers chosen for the coming year were: President, Mrs. A. Boulet; vice-president, Mrs. Ralph Godfrey; secretary, Mr. Bailey, and treasurer, Mrs. Lovett. Reports were read by the membership, financial, social and flower committees. The convener of flowers was Mrs. D. Madill, and Mrs. Brown, social. Votes of thanks were given to Mr. Saywell and to all retiring officers. Mr. Saywell also extended thanks for help and cooperation during the past year.

Evensong Will Be Held for Active Forces

Members of Women's Auxiliaries to navy, army or air force units are invited to attend a special service on Sunday evening at St. John's Church, when there will be special prayers for local members of the three forces, now serving overseas. Auxiliary members attending are asked to be in their place by 7 p.m., and to make themselves known to the ushers, so that they may be escorted to the specially reserved pews.

HOSPITALITY COMMITTEE

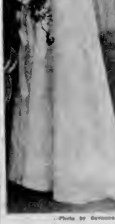
Tomorrow the A.Y.P.A. will entertain twenty-five men from the Naval Barracks, and the South Saanich A.Y.P.A. have arranged to entertain thirty men from the R.C.A.F. The C.A.T.S. will entertain twenty-five cadets from Gordon Head.

Group entertainment of men from the navy has been mainly limited to boy seamen or men from visiting ships. The committee hopes to widen this work to include all branches of the naval services.

SCOUTS' BRIDGE TEA

Mrs. Lawrence Hafer, assisted by Mrs. J. Osborne, will be hostess at an afternoon bridge party and tea at the home of Mrs. Hafer, Clark Avenue, Brentwood, on Wednesday, April 22. The proceeds will be in aid of the Brentwood Scouts' building fund. Play will commence at 2 p.m., and tea guests will be welcomed at 4:15 o'clock.

Victorian Married at St. Columba's



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MRS. FREDRICK W. HILBORNE

FORMERLY Miss Blanche Mantz, whose wedding took place on April 8, at St. Columba's Church, Strawberry Vale.

RED CROSS

PRISONERS PARCELS

From a German prisoner-of-war camp—Stalag IV A—comes thanks from Sergeant E. Miller, a Canadian prisoner there, for 200 Red Cross food parcels received at the camp. "Believe me, the work of the Red Cross is greatly appreciated by all prisoners here," writes the sergeant. This is only one of thousands of letters of thanks received from British and Canadian prisoners-of-war in Germany by the Red Cross for the 40,000 weekly food parcels sent them. In a few weeks the Canadian Red Cross Society will be appealing to the people of Canada to raise approximately $6,000,000 for this purpose alone.

CRETONNES FOR BAGS

Red Cross branches are appealing for pieces of new, strong, washable materials, cretonne preferred, size fourteen by sixteen inches to make personal property bags for use in emergency and first-aid stations.

SHOWER OF MATERIALS

The Ganges Red Cross unit had a shower of "materials," which resulted in substantial gifts of wool, yards of new flannelette and print.

RANCH COMPANIES

Two ranch companies—Guichon Ranch, Ltd., and Douglas Lake—in the Nicola Valley have donated $220.16 to the Merritt Red Cross branch. This sum is equal to the average price per head for a steer at the annual Kamloops bull sale.

TREASURE TEA

"Something different" in the way of a money raising function for the Red Cross is a "Treasure Tea" reported by the Armstrong branch of the Red Cross. All guests brought "mystery packages," which were priced, numbered and sold.

RED CROSS PILLOWS

Courtenay Red Cross branch is appealing for feathers to stuff pillows, which will be sent to the W.A.T.S. in Britain.

PLAY FOR RED CROSS

Harlequin Dramatic Club put on a performance, at which a collection was taken for the Bamfield Red Cross branch.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

The honorary treasurer of the Red Cross acknowledges the following donations: Esquimalt Unit (additional), $182.56; Victoria Authors' Association, $27.25; Music Teachers' Association, $27.25; Superfluities Store, $660.10; "Ahepa" $57 (for Russian Relief); Strawberry Unit (additional), $20; Mt. Newton Billiard Club $20; South Salt Spring Unit (additional), $23.15.

STRAWBERRY VALE

A meeting of the Strawberry Vale Red Cross Unit was held in the Institute Hall on Thursday afternoon with fourteen members present. The secretary reported that 141 knitted and sewn articles were made for the services and 47 knitted and sewn articles for refugees. Four boys' sweaters and 160 handkerchiefs were donated in March, ten parcels sent overseas and $50 raised. Two letters were read from soldiers overseas who expressed thanks for their Christmas parcels. An old-time dance will be held in the hall on Wednesday, April 29. Donations of linen suitable for bandages is being received for A.R.P. work and useful articles will be gladly received to be added to the supplies of the emergency kitchen. The next meeting will be held on April 28.

WILL HOLD DANCE

The Saskatchewan Association will hold a dance on Monday at the A.O.F. Hall at 8 p.m., the proceeds to be turned over to the Saskatchewan Concert Party to purchase further materials, etc., for making up costumes for the girls. Refreshments will be served with Mr. J. E. Cooper acting as master of ceremonies.

New Officers Are Welcomed By President

The monthly board meeting of Columbia Diocesan W.A. was held yesterday at St. Columba's Parish Hall, Strawberry Vale. The opening prayers by Mrs. C. P. Cue, president of St. Columba's W.A., and Scripture reading by Miss Oldfield, president of St. Michael's and All Angels' Branch, was followed by a welcome by the diocesan president, Mrs. F. J. Brimer, to two new officers, Mrs. K. L. Sanderoock, corresponding secretary, and Mrs. Wilfrid Hartley, recording secretary, and to the new honorary members of the executive, Lady Lake, Miss Evelyn Gwynne and Mrs. Claude Gardiner, also to Mrs. Harrison, who is the second vice-president of the Kootenay diocese.

GIFT FOR CHURCH

The treasurer's report, read by Mrs. A. A. Bengough, showed a grand total of receipts since January 1 amounting to $2,137.90. Miss M. E. Duncan, United thankoffering secretary, gave a short account of the objects of this fund. Mrs. Brimer spoke of a donation of $500 by the Cathedral Afternoon Branch from the legacy received from the late Mrs. Annie E. Jones to the building of a church for the Indian residential school at White Fish Lake in the diocese of Athabaska.

Mrs. F. Goodwin, girls' work secretary, reported on the girls' conference held on April 5 and 6.

A midday service was held in the church when Rev. Canon Hitchcox spoke on "The Ministry of Friendship." The afternoon session opened with prayers led by Dr. V. Sherman. Mrs. R. C. Keane, junior secretary, announced that the junior rally would be held on May 30 at St. John's Church. The educational secretary, Miss Rathbone, mentioned the following new books in the library, "Dawn Watch in China," "West China and the Burma Road," "A Christian Imperative" and "The Seed and the Soil." In the absence of Mrs. Neilans, Dorcas secretary, Mrs. Brimer read the Dorcas report and gave a talk on the different departments. She said that it had been decided to have a "baby chest" so that a supply of baby clothes would be always available when required and announced that in future the Dorcas room at the Memorial Hall would be open only on Mondays from 2 to 4 o'clock.

A quiz programme on the Extra Cent Fund was conducted by Mrs. J. A. Andrews. Mrs. Philp, Columbia Coast magazine secretary, reported that good books and magazines had been sent to the R.C.A.F. and R.A.F. at Patricia Bay, also that the Ms. John Antle would be at the dock Saturday and Sunday. Mrs. Brimer thanked the members of St. Columba and St. Michael's and All Angels for their kind hospitality and announced that the next board meeting will be held at St. Paul's, Esquimalt, on May 22.

Assembly No. 5 Elects Officers

Mrs. J. T. Jones was elected president of the Canadian Daughters' League, Assembly No. 5, on Thursday evening, the retiring president, Mrs. G. Jasper, presiding. Mrs. M. Milburn, a past president, acted as installing officer and Mrs. C. Porteous as installing marshal. The other officers installed were as follows: First vice-president, Mrs. L. Hewitt; second vice-president, Mrs. L. Doble; recording secretary, Mrs. B. Fitzsimmons; corresponding secretary, Mrs. J. J. Kinsey; financial secretary, Mrs. M. Taylor; treasurer, Mrs. M. Stuart; chaplain, Mrs. A. L. Otto; sergeant-at-arms, Mrs. M. H. Hemeon; assistant, Mrs. E. R. Maundrell; inner guard, Mrs. A. Fawcett; outer guard, Mrs. M. Gardiner; historian, Mrs. M. Whitwell; pianist, Mrs. H. Shields; press convener, Mrs. B. Fitzsimmons.

In the absence of the historian Mrs. McInnes read the history of the assembly for the past year, showing that many charitable activities and a large amount of war work accomplished. The Red Cross convener, Mrs. Otto, reported 270 articles, including twelve quilts and one afghan, turned over to the Red Cross, besides ...

A letter was received from the Solarium acknowledging the receipt of a cheque for $25. After the routine business, the retiring president, Mrs. Jasper, and the retiring assistant sergeant-at-arms were presented with suitable gifts in appreciation of their loyal services by the new president, Mrs. Jones, on behalf of the officers and members. A banquet was then held, arranged by Mrs. L. Arnold and her committee.

Chosen as Head of Daughters of Nile

—Photo by Robert Port.

MRS. JESSIE M. MEISS

WHO was installed recently as Queen of Miriam Temple No. 1, Daughters of the Nile, succeeding Mrs. Lincoln Smith.

Victory Fair Plans Studied By Conveners

The United Nations victory fair, sponsored by the Women's Canadian Club and Kinsmen Club, promises to be a colorful and interesting event. The plans are now going ahead and the various sub-committees are busy completing details for the exhibits representing each of the United Nations. His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. W. C. Woodward have given their distinguished patronage and Mrs. Woodward will officially open the fair at 2:30 p.m. on May 5 at the Crystal Garden.

The general conveners will be Mrs. T. H. Johns and Mr. Russell Park. Mrs. K. C. Drury and Mr. E. Sanders will have charge of the finance. Mrs. H. L. Campbell will convene the arrangements; Mr. H. Bourne, reception committee; Mrs. Alan Campbell, exhibits; Mr. H. Winterburn, printing; Mrs. E. Philpott and Mr. Russell Park, publicity; Mrs. Rupert Wickson and Mrs. H. B. Dawson, collections; Mrs. F. G. Aldous, national dances and music; Mrs. S. J. Willis and Mrs. F. M. McGregor decorating; Mrs. T. A. Johnston, fashion show; Mrs. W. S. Moore and Mrs. Sydney Barker, costumes; Mrs. P. M. Bryant and Mrs. Walter Luney, tea.

BOOTH CONVENERS

In charge of the booths will be: Mrs. Bruce Hutchison, Canada; A.R.P., Inspector Bishop; Red Cross, Mrs. H. Beckton; nutrition, Mrs. Norman Cook and Dr. Olga Jardine; United States, Mrs. R. B. Horton; Mrs. J. G. Cameron, Panama, Hawaii and Alaska; Greece-Yugoslavia, Mrs. Reed Paige Clark and Mrs. E. W. Hetherington; Poland-Czecho-Slovakia, Mrs. Marcel Godfrey; Netherlands, Mrs. J. D. Hunter, Mrs. F. A. Lindsay and Mrs. W. G. Hamilton; Norway-Denmark, Mrs. R. W. Mayhew; Belgium, Mrs. P. M. Bryant and Mrs. Walter Luney; Free France, Mrs. H. M. Archibald; South America, Mrs. A. W. Mackenzie and Mrs. Rupert Guthrie; Chinese art, Mrs. Charles Hudson; India, Mrs. Stuart Kenning and Mrs. N. W. Whittaker; South Africa, Mrs. R. H. Palmer; Russia, Mrs. H. Smith; New Zealand and Australia, Mrs. Duncan MacBride; England, Mrs. Victor Bartholomew; Scotland, Mrs. W. H. Wilson, and Wales, Miss Thomas. Miscellaneous stalls will be home cooking, in charge of Mrs. F. Patterson and Mrs. H. C. Kinghorn; ice cream, Mrs. P. E. Taylor; white elephant, Mrs. H. Taylor and Mrs. H. Peadray; fish pond, Mrs. W. G. Flett, and tuck shop, Mrs. R. D. McCaw.

Britannia W.A. Annual Tea Is Well Attended

The annual Spring tea of Britannia Branch W.A. was a successful event on Thursday, when many friends of the auxiliary enjoyed the attractive atmosphere of the flower-decked auditorium, where Mrs. E. Jarvis, president, welcomed the guests. Representatives of the women's auxiliaries to Pro Patria branch, the T.V.A. and Army and Navy Veterans were welcomed. Mrs. D. Swan and Mrs. D. Shubrook had charge of the home-cooking stall, Mrs. H. Miller supervised the white elephant stall, and Mrs. J. M. Smith the housie-housie.

Afternoon tea arrangements were in charge of Mrs. G. Ree, Mrs. H. Broadbent, Mrs. J. Fitchett and Mrs. F. Wood. Mrs. S. J. Johnson read cards, and Mrs. E. Blair was in charge of the card games in the evening when the winners were Mr. P. Britton, Mr. T. Davis, and cribbage winners were Mrs. H. Jarvis and Mr. N. Broadbent. Mrs. Jarvis convened the cribbage, and the cushion was won by Mrs. G. Ree.

WOMEN'S INSTITUTES

BRENTWOOD

The members of the Brentwood W.I. met on Tuesday afternoon, the president, Mrs. W. A. Sturrock, in the chair. In the absence of the secretary, Mrs. H. Gibbert, the vice-president, Mrs. T. Hadden, carried out the secretarial duties. Quarterly reports were given by the following committees: Red Cross, school, visiting, home economics, sewing and emergency. Mrs. G. Williams reported that the March and April War Savings Certificates were won by Mrs. C. W. Thornton and Mrs. G. Williams. Plans for the board of trade banquet on April 30 were discussed, and it was decided to have a May Day bridge party on the afternoon of May 1.

Receive Word of Relatives Held Prisoners of War

At least twenty-six former residents of Hongkong, now living in Victoria, have received word concerning their husbands who were in that city at the time of its surrender to the Japanese. It is estimated by a committee recently formed here to look after the welfare of evacuees in this area.

Reports indicate that in most instances their husbands are well, though now prisoners in the captured city.

The committee here has records of fifty-one women evacuees now living in Victoria and district. They were evacuated in 1940 on order of the British Government, when it was considered that the Far Eastern fortress was no longer a suitable place for women and children.

The information has been supplied by Lieut.-Col. Ride, a doctor formerly in the service of the Hongkong Government, who escaped from that city, and is now believed to be in Kulong, behind the Chinese lines in South China.

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PERSONAL ITEMS and SOCIAL HAPPENINGS

Officers Are Elected By Provincial Chapter

Twenty-Ninth Annual I.O.D.E. Meeting Closes With Appointment of Convenors and Welcome to New Executive — Councillors Chosen

Mrs. R. J. Sprott, Vancouver, was elected president of the Provincial Chapter, I.O.D.E., at the closing session of the annual meeting yesterday at the Empress Hotel. Mrs. Sprott succeeds Mrs. Frank Good. Other officers chosen were as follows: Vice-presidents, first, Mrs. W. N. Martin, Vancouver; second, Mrs. W. Curtis Sampson, Victoria; third, Miss M. L. Bolbert, Vancouver; fourth, Mrs. H. Barker, Nanaimo; fifth, Mrs. John Cartmel, Nelson; sixth, Mrs. Dudfrey, Penticton; seventh, Mrs. R. H. W. Cruse, Kamloops, recording secretary, Mrs. Rupert Bell, Vancouver; corresponding secretary, Mrs. A. W. McClure, Vancouver; treasurer, Mrs. C. Barrett-Lennard, Vancouver; educational secretary, Mrs. O. A. Orsini, Vancouver; organizing secretary, Mrs. P. E. Corby, Victoria; Bulletin secretary, Mrs. William Ross, Victoria; standard-bearer, Mrs. A. H. Wainwright, Vancouver.

PROVINCIAL COUNCILLORS

Provincial councillors elected were: Mrs. J. F. Leader, Mrs. C. Barrett-Lennard, Miss M. L. Bolbert, Mrs. A. A. Patrick, Mrs. A. W. McClure, Mrs. S. W. Mussey, Mrs. R. M. Spedding, Mrs. R. J. Sprott, Mrs. Frank Good, Mrs. A. H. Wainwright, all of Vancouver; Mrs. P. E. Corby, Mrs. Wilson Ellis, Mrs. J. L. Cain, Mrs. A. H. C. Phipps, Mrs. Curtis Sampson, all of Victoria; Mrs. O. A. Orsini, Mrs. W. J. Martin, Mrs. W. E. Wainwright, of Burnaby; Mrs. Carl Cross, Chilliwack; Mrs. D. A. Sheffield, Castlegar, B.C.; Mrs. Dallas Perry, Cranbrook; Sub Spring Island; Mrs. R. H. W. Cruse, Kamloops; Mrs. C. H. Barker, Nanaimo; Mrs. J. K. Sangster, Powell River, and Mrs. J. W. Lang, West Vancouver.

Nominees for national councillors were as follows: Vancouver, Mrs. A. J. M. McPhaline, Mrs. S. W. Mussey, Mrs. Frank Good; Victoria, Mrs. Curtis Sampson and Mrs. K. C. Symons; Burnaby, Mrs. W. H. Martin and Mrs. E. R. Pellatt; Nanaimo, Mrs. C. H. Barker. Five extra members appointed were: Mrs. John McKee, Ladner; Mrs. Eric Brown, Chilliwack; Mrs. J. W. Duncan, Trail; Mrs. D. A. Orsini, Duncan; Mrs. H. C. McPhaden, Windsor.

CONVENORS NAMED

Mrs. W. N. Martin, Burnaby, was elected war work convener. The convenors of standing committees are as follows: Empire study, Mrs. C. E. McKinnon, Vancouver; child and family welfare, Mrs. J. J. Thomas, West Vancouver; environment, Mrs. J. Colson, Vancouver; immigration, Mrs. A. E. Gordon, Vancouver; Work-in-India, Mrs. H. Coulter, Vancouver; distinguished visitors, Mrs. S. W. Mussey, Vancouver; Miss Mrs. J. L. Cains, Victoria; press, Mrs. Rupert Bell, Vancouver; Navy League, Mrs. W. C. Nichol, Victoria; national endowment, Mrs. J. L. Ford, Victoria; Alexandra Rose, Mrs. P. W. Welsh, Vancouver; Girl Guides, Mrs. K. Gordon Gibson, Vancouver; Sea appreciation of her work as president for the past seven years, Mrs. Frank Good was given a bouquet of beautiful flowers from the members of the Provincial Chapter, who she has worked.

PLANS FOR MEETINGS

Mrs. R. J. Sprott, the new president, was appointed delegate to the national annual meeting. It was decided that the annual-annual meeting will be held in Burnaby and the fall annual meeting in Vancouver. Mrs. Frank Good was elected the third member of the War Memorial committee. Mrs. W. C. Woodward will be asked to be the chapter's honorary president with Mrs. Frank Good as honorary vice-president.

Miss M. L. Bolbert presented the report of the resolutions committee, only one resolution having been submitted and this from the Cowgan Chapter, Lake Bonpriz Island. It was been suggested that money collected for the Spitfire Fund be devoted to Australia, but it was decided that the National Chapter request the Dominion Government that the money collected for the Spitfire Fund be used as a donation of the British Columbia Coast.

At the conclusion of the business session and after accepting votes of thanks to all who had been instrumental in making the annual meeting a success, the new president and officers were welcomed to the platform. Mrs. Sprott recalled that twenty-two years ago she and Mrs. Good, the retiring president, had come to Victoria to attend an annual meeting, and expressed the hope that the new executive would be able to carry on the work with the same enthusiasm and as in previous years.

The members then drove to Government House, where Mrs. Wood-ward entertained them at tea.

New President of I.O.D.E.

—Photo by Associated Screen News.

MRS. R. J. SPROTT

Of Vancouver, who was elected president of the Provincial Chapter, I.O.D.E., at the annual meeting, which closed here. She has been a member of the order for the past twenty-five years, has been chapter being the Canadian Scottish, Vancouver. For twenty years she has been a member of Provincial Chapter, holding the office of recording secretary for many years, and until 1941 was first vice-president for six years, retiring when she became president. She is active in Municipal Chapter. In addition to her experience in I.O.D.E. work, Mrs. Sprott is prominent in the Soroptimist Club and is immediate International past president, and still a member of the International board.

Clubs-Societies

Fairfield W.M.S.

The Easter meeting of the W.M.S. in Fairfield United Church was held on Thursday in the social room of the church, with Mrs. O. O. Green presiding. Mrs. R. Hudson and Mrs. W. G. Pitth, of the Jean Brodie Sewing Auxiliary led the devotional period. Mrs. O. L. Gilgard gave an interesting account of life in Newfoundland, where she and her husband, Chaplain Lieut. Gilgard, had spent several years at the Anglican Mission. Children of all lands were represented in costume, while Miss Margaret Hudson represented the world, sang "All God's Children Come From Many Lands." Two songs by Mrs. Frank Leach, with Mrs. Pitth as accompanist, were much enjoyed. Tea was served at the close of the meeting.

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Garden City United W.A.

The monthly meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary of Garden City United Church was held recently at the home of Mrs. A. E. Rankin, Burnside Road. In the absence of the president, Mrs. A. P. Pyatt presided and the devotional period was led by Mrs. Andrew. Mrs. R. Young, the treasurer, and Mrs. R. A. Scott, secretary, each presented satisfactory reports, the visiting committee having made forty calls during the month. A discussion was carried on with regard to the thirty cleaning of the church, and arrangements were made for a May tea to be held the first Wednesday in May. The next meeting will be held in the church when Mrs. F. Smith and Mrs. W. H. White will convene the arrangements.

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Lake Hill C.W.A.

The annual meeting of the Lake Hill Subdivision of the Canadian Women's League was held on Tuesday, April 14, when officers for the ensuing year were elected: Mrs. L. S. Heather was returned as president, Mrs. A. Wall, vice-president, and Mrs. J. Dobbie, second vice-president; Mrs. A. Reeves, Mrs. J. Cassidy and Mrs. K. Groves were chosen as committee. An anniversary tea will be held on Sunday, May 3, at the Community Centre. The concert, sponsored by Mrs. Kathleen Greene last Saturday, was really a success. It will be repeated on April 22, under the auspices of the Catholic Women's League in aid of the Lake Hill Red Cross.

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Daughters of Rachel

Princess Alexandra Lodge No. 18, Daughters of Rachel, met recently, Mrs. C. M. Baker, the president, in the chair. Mrs. G. Jennings presided at Princess Lodge No. 46, was welcomed. It was arranged to hold a tea at the home of Mrs. C. M. Baker, 3135 Craigmillar Avenue, on Tuesday, April 21, from 2 to 5 p.m. The next meeting will be held on Thursday, May 7, and all officers are to be at the hall at 7 p.m. for drill practice.

Saskatchewan W.A.

The Saskatchewan W.A. will entertain a group of twenty-five service men from Mountain Point to-morrow evening. In the club rooms, at the corner of Fort and Cook Streets, commencing at 7.30. On Tuesday, April 21, a card party will be held by the Business and Professional Women's club rooms, Union Building, View Street. Court whist will be played and refreshments served. All interested are invited to attend.

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Provost Company W.A.

The W.A. to the 21st Provost Company will meet at the home of Mrs. Pierce, 626 Michigan Street, on Tuesday, April 21, at 2 p.m. Plans arrangements will be made for the dance on Friday night for the Provost men. All members are requested to attend the meeting.

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Comiskie Club

On Wednesday evening the Comiskie Club met at the home of Mrs. H. O. Robinson. The guest speaker of the evening was Mr. W. M. Bailey, who gave an interesting account of Indian life and customs in British Columbia.

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Eastern Star

Victoria Chapter No. 17, O.E.S., will hold a bloomer tea on April 21, from 3 to 5 o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Seager, 341 Lampson Street. Cards will be played at 8 p.m., refreshments will be served, and prizes are offered.

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Nursing Sisters

The monthly meeting of the Victoria Unit Overseas Nursing Sisters' Association will be held at the home of Mrs. R. Thomson, 1081 Joan Crescent, on Thursday at 8 p.m.

Preparations Made for Red Cross Drive

Preparations for the annual Canada's part in the forthcoming Canadian Red Cross campaign to raise $9,000,000 which opens on May 11 and continues for the remainder of the month, are well under way British Columbia's allotment is $900,000, but in the opinion of F. W. Gaskell, chairman of the British Columbia Red Cross Division, the province will raise at least a million dollars.

His Honor, the Lieutenant-Governor, W. C. Woodward, has accepted the honorary chairmanship of the provincial campaign committee, with H. R. Cottingham, Vancouver, as chairman and T. C. Clarke, Vancouver, as vice-chairman. Other members of the committee are, The Rt. Rev. H. Sanborn, C. A. Cotterell, F. A. Woodward, C. E. Anstie, Col. J. Victor Spencer, O. C. Darby, W. T. Moodie, W. J. Bartlett, all of Vancouver; Mayor O. A. McKay, Kelowna; R. E. Parker, Prince Rupert (northern area); R. W. Diamond, Trail (West Kootenay area); W. H. Cleland, Invermere (East Kootenay area); Lewis A. Campbell, Trail; Judge J. O. Wilson, Ashcroft; R. M. Parris, Alberni; R. J. Fluery, Courtenay; S. L. Smith, New Westminster, and Major Harold Brown, Victoria. J. R. Layland, Kerry of West Vancouver for many years, and secretary for the Canadian War Services Fund for the past year, has been appointed secretary of the provincial campaign committee.

BRITISH COLUMBIA QUOTA

In planning the campaign to raise $900,000 allotted to the province, the committee has mapped out three financial areas. Greater Vancouver will be expected to raise $400,000; Victoria, $80,000, and the remainder of the province, $380,000.

From 134 cities, towns and villages in the province comes word of enthusiastic meetings being held and working committees being organized. Thousands of men and women will become Red Cross enders each filled with a zeal for service—for the great Red Cross ideal of alleviation of suffering caused by wars.

Weddings

RAMSAY—SEADMORE

At a quiet ceremony in the chapel of St. John's Church on Thursday evening Rev. George Biddle united in marriage Audrey Blake, only daughter of the late Mr. William Ramsay, and Mr. Maylard Seadmore, both of this city. The bride was given in marriage by her father. Her sister was her matron of honor and Mr. Ian Smith was best man. Mr. and Mrs. Seadmore will reside in Victoria.

Miss K. Nelson Presented With Alumnae Bursary

Mrs. Gerald Rose, president of St. Joseph's Alumnae, presented the Alumnae bursary to Miss Kerstin Nelson, last evening, at the meeting at which was held in the Furse Home. Plans were made for the forthcoming dance for the graduating class to be held in the Crystal Garden on May 28. Following the meeting, the Alumnae entertained members of the graduating class at an enjoyable social. The door prizes were won by Miss Pratt and Mrs. Lillie Marshall, one of the older men, and a long-time friend of the elder Mr. Bryant.

"I wonder how Bunny is taking this," he went on. "And old Angus I want to see Ralph before I go away. Perhaps I can do something for them."

"He hangs out at Chadwick and Hart," said Harrick, returning just in time to hear the last. "I think they have been notified. I'd like to help Mr. Mackenzie, but I feel it would be intrusive to offer."

"If Chadwick is coming, your assistance will be needed," Van Dyke observed.

"Yes, I'm tied," Brand said, looking at Haynes without a smile.

Netta Briggs flushed her coffee and went to Raymor.

"It's no good, Cliff," she said. "If Di knows, I consider found out who was the guy I saw with the lady, last night. I looked at you setting quiet breakfast, there wasn't one of them I'd pick. They all looked alike to me."

"You may go now Cully. Let Brand Harrick in here will you?"

Harrick came at once, and sat down.

"Don't mind if I drop asleep," he said. "I am told I talk in my sleep. Is it safe to do so well?"

Raymor smiled at the big young man.

"You know Mr. McCleod pretty well, Mr. Harrick?"

"I belong to what she was kind enough to call 'her crowd.' I have been invited here often, but I am not enough of an intimate to come informally. I have met Mr. McCleod frequently at other places."

"At her friends' houses?"

"Yes, and at clubs or theatre parties. But I am a busy man, and I don't always have time to drink."

"I see. Now, will you tell me of the last time you saw Mrs McCleod alive?"

"I can't tell you the hour, but it was late, and I remembered I go home. I went up to the men's coat room for my things and she came into the room. The ladies used that room too. She said, 'Are going yet?' or something like that, and I said I had a busy day ahead and good night and left her there. That was the last time I saw her.

"But you drive to home?"

"No, when I get downstairs, some of the crowd invite me stay to hear some young fellow doing impersonations. I went in the bar, and listened to the performance."

"And then?"

"I was there when Miss Day screamed. After that, I was not allowed to leave the house."

"What did you do?"

"Nothing in particular. I had an eye on to be of any service I might, and then I found a few of my friends together and I sat down with them."

(To Be Continued)

Murder on the Avenue

By CAROLYN WELLS

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CHAPTER XVII

"That room has a door at each end, hasn't it?" Raymor asked Netta Briggs.

"Oh, yes Mr McCleod goes through it when he's going up to see his father. It's a short cut."

"Well, then, Miss Briggs, you have nothing more to tell us?"

"Not about Mrs. McCleod, no. But I can tell you something about Linda, sir."

Being a good detective, Raymor was not above catching at any straw.

"You mean Linda had a motive? Tell us about it. You saw, she?" down in Mrs. McCleod's will for ten thousand dollars."

"Ten thousand? That's a lot of money."

"Who told one about it herself."

"Very well. But don't tell anyone else, Netta. You might get your self in trouble if you do. Now, look here, girls. Do you think you would recognize that man, who was in the room with Mrs McCleod if you saw him again?"

Netta looked doubtful. "I don't think I would."

"Have a try at it, anyway. After that you can go home."

"I don't want to go home. I want to stay here."

"You had our seat for me, and perhaps I can arrange for you to stay here a bit longer. Have you got Don't look hard at anybody. Have an air as if you were a cross patient. Look for a book on a library shelf."

"Yes, sir."

"Make a slab at it. If Pete Chow orders you out, tell him you're there by my directions."

Miss Briggs departed and soon found a few seats in the bar, among whom might be her quarry. She was absent so long the Rime when Pete Chow came with an announcement breakfast was served.

Some of the men started for the breakfast room. Netta followed Quen. There were small tables and she sat at one alone.

Brand Harrick was speaking "I think," he said, softly. "Raymor ought to realize that we men are grown pat use to this long delay. Surely he could arrange matters better. He ought to telephone to my partner, Clarence Ellis, to come here. It is important that I see him."

He left the room and went to a half telephone.

"What's in a name?" said Van Dyke Haynes, Silvously. "I didn't know Harrick had a partner. Clarence Ellis! It's very sound claims a pale face, with steely hard, cold blue eyes and a lock of weight and muscle. Probably a blue, piping voice."

"I'm never can tell," said Harry

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The silver tea held recently at "Mossy Rocks," Ten Mile Point, realized the sum of $70, which will greatly aid the finishing of the Scout Hall at Cordova Bay. Mrs. Frank Taylor and Mrs. Lewis Smith received the guests. Spring flowers enhanced the beauty of the large reception room and the charmingly-arranged tea table, at which Mrs. Jutson Fisher, Mrs. E. Harwood and Mrs. P. Harris presided, were bright with daffodils. Assisting at the tea were Mrs. Wragg, Mrs. R. B. Brown, Mrs. Page and Mrs. A. H. Pieve, while Mrs. Clifford Godfrey, Mrs. Marston, Mrs. F. Harwood and Miss M. Melville were servers. Mrs. W. Marshall and Mrs. H. S. Hanks were in charge of the home-cooking stall; the children's dinner was managed by Mrs. J. J. Coulcher, the winner by Mrs. H. B. Stevens. Travelo reading by Mrs. W. E. Kirkpatrick attracted many. The door prize was drawn by one of the Sea Scouts and won by Mrs. R. C. Tennant.

Board Continues To Assist Y.W.C.A.

The following members of the advisory board of the YWCA will serve again this year, it was announced at the board meeting yesterday: Mr. David McMillan, Mr. James Freeman, Mr. Fred B. Clay, Rev. J. L. W. McLean and Mr. E. J. Weston.

Mrs. John Baxter presided at the meeting during the absence of Mrs. R. I. W. Jardine in Vancouver. It was announced that the senior girls are running a YWCA membership contest, the results to be featured at the annual Spring banquet early in May.

The girls' work committee, with Mrs. Ross Crane as chairman, will entertain the Jiu Tsu Club, composed of sailors' wives, on Wednesday afternoon, the children attending with their mothers to have a party of their own in the playroom.

The general membership tea will be held on May 13. Mrs. A. C. Bond, chairman of the membership committee, in charge. The Jiu Tsu Club will be honored on Wednesday, April 29, when other sailors' and soldiers' wives who have recently come to Victoria, will be welcomed as guests. An informal programme has been arranged for the occasion.

The Y.W.C.A. board members are arranging for The Netherlands booth at the Victory Fair to be held in the Crystal Garden, May 5 to 9 the Women's Canadian Club and the Legion.

The board was pleased to learn that several women's organizations have already forwarded contributions to the Mrs. Winston Churchill Fund for British women's service uniform and to the manufacture of war materials.

Victoria Blind Enjoy Gathering

The first of a series of teatime social gatherings sponsored by the institute for the Blind at St. Mary's Hall, near Colwood, last Wednesday programme was presented and about thirty Victoria blind people with their companions enjoyed an informal afternoon. The programme arranged by Mrs. H. McMillan included selections by the blind choir, recitations by Mrs. Dearborn, and musical numbers by Miss Pester and Miss Kerkham, which were much enjoyed. Miss Robson was the accompanist during the afternoon.

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The group from the home was Mrs. T. A. Rickard, newly-elected president of the society to the Institute for the Blind, Mrs. T. M. Knox and Miss Ruth Jones. Alderman W. H. Davies attended and spoke a few words of welcome.

It was announced that the blind bowlers of Victoria would play in the annual tournament Friday. Games will be played off at the same time with Brandon, Calgary, Winnipeg and Vancouver, the crews of each city being telegraphed to Vancouver head office, where the winners will be announced. The teams will be competing for the Boland Challenge Cup.

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April 18 will be a good day on which to remember that "time and tide awaits no man," and it might not be amiss to add—no woman. Fixed opinions may make it difficult to convert the average person to radical new views, so it will be good judgment to conserve time and energy by not attempting to introduce any at this date. Most social activities of this day may be the result of spur-of-the-moment suggestions and not pre-arranged plans, but they are apt to be most satisfactory and enjoyable. Avoid preaching anything that you are reluctant to practise if you wish to avoid embarrassment and sage sarcastic comments. Efforts to think exceptionally fast may result in a complete confusion of ideas that will be difficult to use as it will be well to let your brain function normally if you wish to get satisfactory results. Married and engaged couples, and those who expect to join the ranks of prospective brides and grooms soon, should make up their minds to "love truth, but pardon error," if this day is to pass peacefully and free of argument.

If you are a woman and April 18 is your birthday, a quick wit and a delightful personality should help you to advance your social and business aspirations. A lively imagination may help you in many ways, especially if you will give your creative genius a chance to be of practical use to you. As a teacher, artist, writer, office or business manager, trained nurse, musician or in work of a dramatic nature, you may surpass your fondest expectations. You seem destined to dominate your professional career with wise decisions and extraordinary good judgment.

The child born on April 18 often develops much personal pride in his clothing and appearance. A born tactful by this youngster in his early years. Being quick to adapt himself to new people and surroundings probably will help this child to win through to the goal of success.

If you are a man and April 18 is your natal day, you are likely to have a contemplative and studious nature, with a great deal of ambition. Consistently good work as a horticulturist, chemist, engineer, inventor, agriculturist, lawyer, doctor, scientist, clergyman, actor or in some political activity, should enable you to gain fame and fortune.

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CUT SENTENCE

LONDON (?)—A sentence of six months in prison against Butcher William Smith for selling horseflesh overprice and selling it as premium where other meat was on sale was refused to three months by an appeals committee.

THE ONLY EXPLANATION

At not be mustered up his courage to pop the question, and, to his blissful bewilderment, was accepted. When he'd recovered, he stammered:

"However did it happen, Jasmine, that such a bright and shining angel as yourself could ever fall in love with a dull, stupid fellow like me?"

"Gentleman Jones, Ted," was the lady's careful comment; "I never have a screw loose anywhere."

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VICTORIA BASKETBALLERS TRIM SASKATOON 43-26

Glancing Over Sport

By JOE DELAHUNTY

NOT REMAINING IDLE

It's not very long ago that the Victoria Bagsos put away their hockey paraphernalia for the season, but then wasn't a sign for Manager Jean Temple to remain idle, instead he is busy already rounding up new players for the 1942-43 campaign.

One of the best finds to date is none other than Jimmy Wilson, who was with the Sydney Millionaires last season. He formerly played with the Calgary Stampeders and was on this front line with the New York Rovers, one of Lester Patrick's farm clubs, along with Elmer Kreiter. He is twenty-three and is reported to be one of the finest prospects in Canadian amateur hockey. Stubby Mason, goal tender with the New Westminster Royals last season, has as promised to play with the Bagsos. He has accepted a job here in the shipyards, according to a telegram received by me yesterday by Mr. Temple. However, Stubby was in town for a few days and than Boss Temple lost track of him, but he isn't worried for he has Mason's signature on the telegram and that is in the eyes of the Canadian Amateur Hockey Association, is just as good as a signed contract.

Another well-known ice star who will be with the Victoria club next season will be Hector Zbrowsky, big strong defenceman of the Kimberley Dynamiters. Hector played here in the provincial final against the Navy and made a big hit with the spectators. He will certainly bolster the Bagsos rear division.

I have also just been informed, and reliable authority, that Bob Egan, brawling defenceman of the Brooklyn Americans in the National Hockey League, will be with the Vancouver Normals during the next ice campaign. Egan boasts one hard check with reckless abandon and that's why he was rated the top of the penalty list in the N.H.L. when the curtain fell on the schedule. Pat is going to work in the shipyards on the Mainland for he cannot get back over the international boundary line next season, the authorities have told him.

GOOD LUCK ENDS

After the Detroit hockey fans displayed their displeasure at one of Referee Mervi Lampert's rulings during one of the present play-off games with the Maple Leafs, the disappointmentation soon removed from the surface one fish bait, two jack knifes, one packet of cigarettes, two tobaccos, one cigar stub, four bags of peanuts and various programmes, newspapers and minor items of debris. The Detroit sport writers scornfully agreed the fans had better improve their aim if they were to see the referee next a few years son by a sharpshooter who has Referees Mike Rodden and Jerry Goodman with one eye . . . Art Chapman, veteran lip-off expert of the Dominions, gets hetts as the years continue to slip by. He bagged twenty points one night in spectacular style in the first of the Saskatoon series nearly half his team's total . . . If the Leafs lose tonight's final game to the Red Wings there will be hundreds of disappointed Victorians. They figure that Toronto is a shoot in they have his number in stride while Detroit has collapsed entirely. Remember the Wings by a single goal . . . The Navy has a fast football team lined up, but there's no league to play in. Any club that wants a game should get in touch with the admiral.

SOME DEBBY GOSSIP

The sixty-seven Kentucky Derbys (1875-1941, inclusive) have been won by fifty-nine colts, seven geldings and one filly. The only filly to head the field in the finishing line was Regret, in 1915. Regret had was back in 1913 . . . The seven geldings to win scored in 1876, 1882, 1914, 1920 and 1928 and one only reported horse to hit the jackpot was Omar Khayyam in 1917

Colonel H. B. Bradley is the owner of most winners, four of his charges belonging to victory at Churchill Downs . . . The oldest sire of a Derby winner was Palemito, who was thirty years of age when his son, Sir Huon, won out in 1936

Jockey Sande and Isaac Murphy, a colored lad, have ridden the most winners, both with three apiece. Murphy won through in 1884, 1885 and 1891, while Sande was on top in 1925, 1926 and 1930 . . . Mr. Murphy and another negro lad named Jimmy Winkfield, are the only two race riders to chalk up two successive Derby victories . . . The following jockeys have scored two wins in the Kentucky classic: Willie Shoemaker, George Ellsworth, Johnny Loftus, Albert Johnson, Linus McAtee, Charlie Kurtsinger and Eddie Arcaro . . . Johnny Craignyle is the only Victoria-born jockey who has ever been in the Kentucky classic. He was up on Sun Beau in 1938 and finished in eleventh position. That was the year that Reigh Count copped the major share of the purse, Mimsy was second and Twenty Grand third . . . Alsab is still the favorite in the little man's event, despite the fact that he has been beaten several times since leaving the two-year-old ranks.

ANNUAL DINNER HELD BY WESTS

Good Turnout for Football Function—Club Forty-Four Years Old

Almost half a century old and still going strong. That could easily be the motto of the Victoria West Athletic Club, premier soccer team on the Pacific Coast.

Last night, forty-four years since the organization of the team, more than seventy players, spanning quite a few years of active play as members of the Victoria West club, gathered around the festive table at Terry's private dining room at the annual reunion dinner. Happy moments of days of long ago were recalled over again as some of the speakers spoke of the "good old days."

Frank Jenkins, president of the Victoria West Football Club, extended the welcoming hand to the guests and players on behalf of the 1941-42 club executive. The well-arranged local list included the following speakers: Jim Paterson, Brian Tree, John Peden, Bobby Ball, Capt. S. Obell Jr., Tonson, Bob Whyte, Charlie Lewis, Jim Hall, Jim Mosher, Pat Mulcahy and P. Tooby.

A. J. Paterson reviewed the history of the club, and J. V. Johnson presented the McKechnie Cup to Bobby Ball, team captain.

Tommy Rashall, playing manager, presented Roy and Jack Obell, former members of the club, now attending the O.T.C. at Gordon Head, with suitably inscribed identification bracelets. The presentation was made on behalf of the present members of the club.

Jack Tonson was chairman of the entertainments committee. The contributing artists were Bill Ebsen and Alec Semple. The evening closed with community singing.

Dr. Arthur Sampson, associated with the club as manager for many years, was chairman.

WINNERS AT COLWOOD

Mrs. Cecil Eve was declared winner of the annual Rose Bowl competition at the Colwood Golf Club by finishing with a score of 3 down. Mrs. E. Hume captured the Spring Cup event by defeating Mrs. Eve in the final, 3 and 1. Mrs. Cunningham was runner-up.

Eve also headed "A" Class in the April monthly medal with 94-9—85, and Mrs. Cunningham copped the "B" division with 118-38—80.

Maple Leafs Can Make History by Downing Detroit

Toronto Has Great Chance to Perform Trick No Other Club in Hockey Has Achieved by Winning Fourth Straight From Red Wings Tonight

—Allan Cup Fixture Also Scheduled

TORONTO, April 17 (CP)—Something new will be added to hockey history beside it Toronto Maple Leafs gain the Stanley Cup at the expense of the Detroit Red Wings tomorrow night—never before has a club won the world title after dropping the first three games.

There's just a possibility that the Leafs can accomplish that for the battered trophy won't even be settled Saturday night due to Toronto being unable to secure a rink after midnight. If the teams are deadlocked at the deadline National League governors would have to proceed with a sixth game to end one of the dimmest series on record.

Baked over their 3-0 victory in Detroit Thursday night, their third straight win over the Wings after allowing an equal number of pastings, the Leafs took things easy after arriving home today. Most of the players merely tested their skates on the ice surface at Maple Leaf Gardens.

Gordie Drillon, Bucko McDonald and Hank Goldup, regulars who were benched as the Toronto team started its amazing comeback drive, stayed a brisk workout among themselves on orders from Coach Happy Day.

Asked if any of the benched players might be used in the play-off contest tomorrow night, Day remarked: "Could be, but I won't know myself until tomorrow afternoon."

The Wings will not arrive here until late tonight. The team did not work out today because Coach Jack Adams considered some of his stars had grown weary and the rest would do three more good than skating practice.

ALLAN CUP SERIES

OTTAWA, April 17 (CP)—Ottawa's Royal Canadian Air Force Flyers, challengers for Canada's senior hockey crown, acquired confidently tonight on the return of a key player to bolster their forces for the second game of their best-of-five Allan Cup final series here tomorrow night.

Flyers, victorious over Port Arthur Bearcats, 7-4, in the series opener here Thursday, expected Bobby Bauer to make his first appearance March 31. Bauer, one of the elder hand, awaited a medical report on the advisability of playing Bert LaPrade, twenty-three-year-old defenceman, who suffered shock and double vision in one eye in the Western final series against Kimberley Dynamiters.

"Bert is still suffering from that eye injury," said Hugh O'Leary, coach of the talented crusaders. "He will see a doctor tomorrow and until then we can't say definitely whether he'll play."

The speedy, powerful Western champions obviously missed the edge of the three LaPrade brothers in their debut here Thursday. They had plenty of speed in the first two periods, building a 4-0 and at the halfway mark before Flyers turned on the pressure for five goals without a reply.

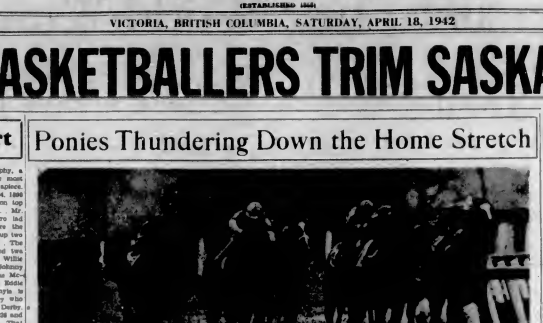
Flyers skated lightly today in preparation for tomorrow's contest. Port Arthur took the day off, most of the team enjoying an afternoon serve.

O'Leary said he will start Tom Gordon at Bert LaPrade's defence post if LaPrade is unable to play tomorrow. Otherwise he said, "the club is in fine shape and we expect to do better tomorrow."

Only one change is planned in the Air Force team, apart from the possible Bauer shift. Jack Seymour, an Ottawa boy, will replace Hank Bates at left wing on the third forward line. He will be partnered by Johnny Arbour and Vic Readberry.

Third game of the series is twice for Montreal Monday.

Ponies Thundering Down the Home Stretch



This Unusual Photograph, Made With a Telescopic Lens, Shows the Thundering Horses as They Round the Last Turn and Head for the Home Stretch. The Race Was Won by Helmsley, Jr., Owned by Mr. Ernest F. Wills Third Horse Was Taken by Silver Grail. Notice the Low Crouch of the Jockeys and the Flying Mud Caused by the Cee-Gees' Hoofs. This Spicy Action Took Place at Jamaica, L.I.

St. Louis Browns Surprise Club of Early Flag Chase

Register Fourth Straight Victory by Downing Detroit After Close Game—Yanks Continue Winning Streak—Pirates Beat Cards and Cubs Nose Out Reds—Giants Lose

By The Canadian Press

Chicago's "Cinderella pitchers" Ted Lyons, appeared on the scene two days early to pitch the White Sox to a 1-0 American League triumph over Cleveland yesterday in the Indians's home opener.

The 20,549 customers saw Myril Hoag erase the gain in the second inning on Johnny Lindblad's single for the only score in the game. Hoag had doubled with one out to get into scoring position.

Home runs by Bob Johnson and Bill Knickerbocker in the ninth and tenth innings gave the Athletics a 5-4 victory over Washington Senators in their home opener. It was the A's first victory of the season.

Dutch Leonard who allowed only two hits in the first seven innings, had a 4-3 lead when Buddy Rosar led off the ninth with a single. Johnson followed with a line drive good for four bases and a tie.

New York Yankees kept their American League state clean by thrashing Boston Red Sox, 1-0, for their twelfth straight and their second shutout of the young season.

Ernie Bonham scattered a half-dozen Hits, one more than his Yankee mates could collect off Lefty Grove Jr.

The "dark horse" St. Louis Browns stretched their winning streak to four straight as they downed Detroit Tigers, 7-4, to move into the first-place American League tie with New York Yankees.

The Browns had a 7-3 lead going into the eighth inning and though Detroit rallied with three quick runs a double play with two on and none out cost them a chance to go ahead. Cincinnati's Johnny Vander Meer pitched five-hit ball, but Chicago Cubs took advantage of his wildness and two Red errors to win their home opener 5-2.

Bill Lee allowed ten hits and his wild throw in the sixth helped the Reds take a 2-1 lead. The Cubs however, came back for two runs and victory in the seventh on singles by Clyde McCullough and Lou Novikoff, walks to Lee and Phil Cavarretta and Lou Novikoff's long fly.

The renovated Pittsburgh Pirates showed 12,624 supporters attending the opening game of the National League season some energy fielding, hitting and clubbing to defeat defending St. Louis Cardinals, 6-2.

Third-inning triples by Bob Elliott, outfielder converted from a third baseman, and Eddie Stewart, left fielder, were the decisive blows.

Mel Ott lost his first argument as a manager and his New York Giants lost a ball game as Boston Braves stayed a three-run rally that was good for a 4-3 victory after Ott and two of his players were chased to the showers.

The victory was the fourth in a row for the Braves, who opened the series and their home season as the unbeaten leaders of the National League.

TOSSED FROM GAME

In the last half of the fourth, Umpire Ziggy Sears called Paul Waner safe at first base on an attempted double play. Ott voiced his disapproval and he was joined by Schoumacher and shortstop Billy Jurges, the Giant captain. Sears waved all three out of the game.

Brooklyn Dodgers celebrated their home opener with a 7-1 triumph over Philadelphia Phils, who haven't won a game in four starts.

Johnny Allen blanked the Phils on three hits for eight innings but lost a shutout when he was lagged for three blows and the visitor's only run in the ninth.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	R	H	E
Chicago	5	9	1
Cleveland	0	3	1

Batteries — Lyons and Tresh; Harder, Heimdal (8) and Desautels, Denning.

	R	H	E
Washington	4	10	2
Philadelphia	5	9	1

Batteries — Leonard, Zuber (10) Early; Bean, Marts (8) and Hayes. Wagner (10).

	R	H	E
Boston	0	4	1
New York	1	9	0

Batteries—Judd and Conroy, Pascoal (8); Bonham and Dickey.

	R	H	E
Detroit	4	9	1
St. Louis	7	9	0

Batteries—Trucks, Fujita (7) and Parsons; R. Harris, Hollingsworth (7), Wakefield (8) and Purrell.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	R	H	E
Cincinnati	2	10	2
Chicago	5	9	1

Batteries—Vander Meer and Hemsley; Lee and McCullough.

	R	H	E
St. Louis	2	7	0
Pittsburgh	6	9	0

Batteries—Warneke, Lanier (8) and Odea; Sewell and Lopez.

	R	H	E
New York	1	8	1
Boston	4	6	0

Batteries—Schumacher, Feldmann (4), Melton (4) and Dahning; Errotabore, Sain (7) and Masi.

	R	H	E
Philadelphia	1	3	1
Brooklyn	7	12	0

Batteries — Hoerst, Nahem (8) and Warren; Allen and Owen.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

NEWARK, April 17 (CP)—Behind steady, effective pitching by Tommy Byrne yesterday southpaw, Newark Bears today conquered Buffalo Bisons, 5-1, to even their series. Byrne was nicked for nine hits but kept them well spaced.

	R	H	E
Buffalo	1	9	1
Newark	5	9	0

Batteries—Pullig, Thomas (7) and Garbark; Byrne and Padden.

	R	H	E
Rochester	10	15	1
Baltimore	4	9	1

Batteries — Barkwell, Donkins (8) and Warren; Flannigan, Trimble (8), Miller (8), Roche (8) and Becker.

	R	H	E
Montreal	1	6	1
Jersey City	4	10	1

Batteries — Sherry and Sewell; Wittig and Poland.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

	R	H	E
Minneapolis	6	11	1
Kansas City	1	7	1

Batteries — Mungo, Leibovitz (8), Sheet (8) and Grabowski; Johnson, Hendricksen (7) and Sears.

	R	H	E
Columbus	1	5	1
Indianapolis	6	13	2

Batteries—Mungar, Roe (8) and Heath; Rain, Gill (8) and Hartnett.

	R	H	E
Toledo	1	6	1
Louisville	4	10	4

Batteries — Marrum, Kantzavous (8) and Spindel; Bayles and Walters.

	R	H	E
St. Paul	8	13	1
Milwaukee	8	9	2

Batteries—Herring and Andrews; Page, Malzinski (7), Lanfranconi (8) and George.

COAST LEAGUE

SAN DIEGO, Calif., April 17 (AP)—A baseball park blaze-out caused postponement tonight of the Coast League game between Los Angeles and San Diego—a main power line burned out, and the lane field floodlighting system failed.

An extra game will be played in the next Angel-Padre series.

	R	H	E
Seattle	1	6	0
Hollywood	1	9	1

Batteries — Turpin and Beard; Bithner, Pieretto (8) and Atwood.

DOMINOES REGISTER EASY VICTORY OVER RIVAL COURT SQUAD

British Columbia Champions Move Into Western Canada Final Against Winnipeg St. Andrew's—Norm Baker Top Scorer With Fourteen Points—Leave for Next Series Today

SASKATOON, April 17 (CP)—Victoria Dominoes advanced another step along the basketball play-off trail when they defeated Saskatoon Royal Canadian Air Force Flyers, 43-26, in the second game of a best-of-three Western Canada senior semi-final series here tonight. Dominoes won the first game here last night, 47-42.

The British Columbia champions will leave here early tomorrow for Winnipeg, where they meet Winnipeg St. Andrews in the Western Canada final.

More than 2,000 spectators watched the game which saw the winners take all the floor at half-time with a 19-13 lead.

Outside of the first quarter when the Flyers held the Dominoes to a 7-7 score, the Saskatchewan champions were unable to hold the high Dominoes in check. With Art Chapman in Jack Matthews by Norm Baker combination working smoothly, the visitors built up a 10-13 lead at half-time, increased their advantage to 36-26 at the three-quarter-time mark, and scored seven points to their opponents six in the final quarter when they were more content to retain possession of the ball than to pile up points.

With the playing floor in better condition than for the first game, Dominoes were able to execute more of their passing plays as the forwards were able to pivot the danger of falling.

STRONG DEFENCE

Taking advantage of their greater length, the coast champions broke up many dangerous Flyer attacks in every quarter and displayed far greater accuracy around the basket than their opponents. Flyers appeared to be unable to solve the Dominoes' defence at any stage of the game and consequently relied on long shots for baskets. Even when they did work the ball under the hoop, Flyers were likely to convert their shots into points.

Dominoes were at their best through the second and third quarter when they completely dominated the play, and showed deadly accuracy from approaches to the badly despite frequent substitutions.

Norm Baker was leading scorer for the winners and for the game. He collected four baskets and five free throws for fourteen points. Art Chapman, Ritchie Hood and Chuck Chapman were next in line with eight points each, while Jack Motuzka completed the club's scoring with five points.

Mike Spasak led the Flyers marksmen with eight points, while Dave Bastian was next in line with five.

The game produced a total of twenty-two personal fouls with the Dominoes drawing thirteen to the Flyers nine. Art Chapman and Norm Baker left the game in the third quarter after drawing four personals.

BOX SCORE

Victoria	FG	FB	PF	PTS
A. Chapman, cf	4	0	4	8
Baker rg	6	2	4	14
Motuzka, lf	2	1	2	5
Hood, rf	4	0	3	8
C. Chapman, rg	4	0	2	8
Woodhouse c	0	0	0	0
Wright, lg	0	0	0	0
McBride, rw	0	0	0	0
Total	20	3	15	43

Saskatoon	FG	FB	PF	PTS
Spasak, lf	3	2	1	8
Bastian, lg	2	1	3	5
Mason, rw	1	0	0	2
Rennie, rg	1	0	0	2
Dale, cf	3	3	3	9
Jackson, lw	3	0	1	6
Milton, rw	0	0	0	0
Holden, rg	0	0	0	0
Donnelly, c	0	0	0	0
Total	13	10	8	26

Referees: Arnold Henderson, Regina; "Hype" Tyler, Saskatoon.

JUVENILE SOCCER

St. Louis College and Gorge Parks Pee-Wees, winners of British Juvenile soccer sixers, respectively, will be on the Mainland today playing for the provincial soccer championships.

Accompanying, with Brother A. O. O'Donnell in charge, will play Vancouver Pee-Wees, while the Rovers will meet the Maple Leafs.

On the local juvenile soccer front St. Louis College and Royals, under fourteen footballers, will meet in the final of the Association Cup series this morning at Royal Athletic Park. The match is slated for 10.30 o'clock, with P. J. Woodley as referee.

Equimalt Eleven To Meet Services Sunday Afternoon

WITH the winner advancing to the final against the Victoria Machinery Depot, Equimalt and United Services Sports football teams will meet Sunday, at Hollen Park, in the semi-final round of the Jackson Cup series. Bob Noble and Ed Pitt, joint managers of the Dockers, will have their strongest line-up of the season in readiness and fully expect to defeat the combined forces. The match is slated for 3.30 o'clock. In the event of a draw at the end of the regulation playing time, overtime will be played. Percy Blanchard will officiate. Equimalt line-up follows: W. Robertson, C. Hill, R. Kinsman, R. Spetler, L. Pelshinow, E. Harbinson, G. Duncan, A. McMillan, Joe Robinson, E. Gent, O. Robbins, T. Morrell and A. Anderson

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Churches and Their World-Wide Work

YOUNG PEOPLE TO AID PASTOR

Special Service Will Be Held In Evening at First Baptist Church

The minister, Rev. C. A. Reynolds, will speak at both services in First Baptist Church on Sunday. In the morning the subject will be taken from Isaiah's vision of God or "The Effect of Meeting God."

At the evening service Mr. Reynolds will conduct a special service for young people. Young people will assist the pastor in the Scripture reading, prayers and music. This service is especially prepared to help the young men in the forces.

Music for the day includes Senior anthem, "The Lord Is My Shepherd" Cadman's "Service" will be sung by Arthur Jackman at the morning worship. In the evening the choir will sing "Jesus, Saviour, Pilot Me," by Schneider. A ladies' quartette will sing "Wonderful Words."

AT ST. MATTHIAS'

At St. Matthias' Church tomorrow, the second Sunday after Easter, there will be a plain celebration of the Holy Communion at 8 a.m. and Choral Eucharist at 11 a.m. Evensong will be sung at 7.30 p.m. There will also be a celebration of the Holy Communion at 10.30 a.m. on Thursday (St. George's Day).

ST. PAUL'S PRESBYTERIAN

Rev. James Hyde, of St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, will preach next Sunday morning on the subject, "Christ's Call to His Saints to Suffer With Him Outside the Camp." In the evening the subject will be "A Chapter Filled With Nuggets of Truth for Our Walkie-in Life Today. God will be guest soloist at the evening service. Sunday school, 9.45 a.m., and Sequimalt, 3 p.m.

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7 P.M.—Rev. Canon Sladden
7:30 P.M.—Organ Recital, Ian Cockburn

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Rector: Rev. A. E. Hiscox
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Service: Archdeacon A. E. Hill, Thursday

Will Preach Two Services Next Sunday

Rev. Dr. A. E. Whitehouse Speaks in Evening on "A Layman's Religion"

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Visitors and strangers are cordially invited to attend these services.

A LIVING GOSPEL WILL BE SERMON

J. W. Parker, Vancouver, will again conduct the service at Crystal Garden on Sunday evening, taking for his subject "A Living Gospel for a Dying World," a topic suitable for today.

N. Y. Cross will lead the singing of popular hymns before the service, with Miss Ethel James at the piano, and there will also be a solo rendered by Mrs. A. W. Bales, soprano. All interested will be welcomed to this service.

Laws of Logical Thinking Will Be Topic on Sunday

"The Rock of Understanding" is the subject on which Rev. Emma M. Sexton will speak at Victoria Truth Centre tomorrow morning. The evening theme will be "The Laws of Logical Thinking." Mrs. R. M. Mitchell will be soloist at both services, singing in the morning "The Crucifix" (Faure) and in the evening "I Know That My Redeemer Lives" (Handel).

On Wednesday at 8 p.m. Mrs. Smiley will speak on "The Fundamentals of Truth."

Rev. T. H. Laundy to Give Talk Tuesday

Rev. T. H. Laundy will address a public meeting of the Victoria British-Israel Association on Tuesday in the First Baptist Church, taking as his subject "God's Call to Israel." He will show that God is calling to Israel and to all mankind, and only "when we listen to the call will the end the war which is almost universal today."

CHINA INLAND MISSION

The monthly meeting of the China Inland Mission prayer fellowship will be held on Monday at 8 p.m. in the Y.W.C.A.

SALVATION ARMY

Major Alex McInnes will speak at the morning holiness meeting, tomorrow, at the Salvation Army Citadel, Broad Street, and Mrs. McInnes is the evening. A praise meeting will be held at 3.15 o'clock, with the musical forces of the corps taking part. Prophetic topical meeting will commence at 8 o'clock.

OPEN DOOR SPIRITUALISTS

At the Open Door Spiritualist Church, 714 Cormorant Street, on Sunday at 7.30 p.m., a trance address will be given by Rev. Walter Hinder with messages to the close of the service. Monday at 7.45 o'clock, trance message circle in charge of Mr. Hinder, and on Thursday at 8 o'clock, weekly message and healing circle.

SERMON WILL BE REPEATED

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Church Services Not Listed Elsewhere

Holy Trinity Church, Patricia Bay —Rev. C. A. Sutton, Holy Communion, 8:30 a.m.; Confirmation service, 11 a.m.; Lord Bishop of Diocese (Rt. Rev. Arthur Pearson, D.D.), Holy Communion, Evening Prayer and sermon, 7 p.m.

St. Alban's Church — Rev. Fred Comley, Holy Communion, 8 a.m.; Litany and Holy Communion, 11 a.m.; Evensong 7 p.m. Wednesday, Holy Communion, 10 a.m. Bible class, 7:30 p.m.

St. Andrew's Church, Shelbourne Rev. C. A. Sutton, Confirmation service 7 p.m. Lord Bishop of Diocese

St. Augustine's, Deep Cove—Rev. Fred Comley, Holy Communion, 11 a.m.

St. Columba, Strawberry Vale—Rev. Canon Hitchcock, Holy Communion, 8:30 a.m.; Evensong and sermon, 7:30 p.m.

St. George's, Cadboro Bay — Rev. Frederic Pike, Matins, 11 a.m.; Rev. R. G. Burgess-Brown.

St. John's, Colwood — Rev. P. J. Dancey, Matins, 11 a.m.

St. Mark's, Clevedale—Rev. G. L. Holt, Holy Communion at 8 a.m., and 11 a.m.; Evensong, 7 p.m.

St. Luke's, Cedar Hill—Rev. Frederic Pike, Holy Communion, 8 a.m.; Matins, 11 a.m.; Evensong, 7:30 p.m. Preacher, Rev. C. E. Cruhan.

St. Mary's, Metchosin—Rev. H. M. Bodmer, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion, 11 a.m.

St. Mary's, Sooke—Rev. W. H. Turner, Matins and sermon, 10:30 a.m.

St. Matthew's, Langford—Rev. P. J. Dancey, Holy Communion, 8 a.m.; Evensong, 7 p.m.

St. Michael's, Royal Oak—Rev. H. V. Hitchcock, Holy Communion, 8 a.m.; Matins and Holy Communion, 11 a.m.

St. Stephen's, Mount Newton—Rev. W. H. Turner, Holy Communion, 8:30 a.m.; Matins and sermon, 11:30 a.m. Rev. Canon Hitchcock and sermon, 7:30 p.m., preacher, Very Rev. S. H. Wood.

Douglas Street Baptist—Rev. F. W. McKinnon: 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.

Begbie Street Baptist—Rev. Harry Church — Rev. James Reed; 10:30 a.m.

Garden City Church — Rev. Wilfred Allen. Sunday school, 3:45 p.m.; Junior service, 6:30 p.m.

Wilkinson Road Chapel — Rev. William Allen, Public worship, 11.15 a.m.

Gorge Presbyterian — Rev. T. E. McAllister Services, 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.

Salvation Army, Victoria West Corps—Major M. Pierce and Lieut. A. Chrisman. Meetings, 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m.

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TO DISCUSS ARMAGEDDON

Clifford A. Reeves Will Speak On Starting Events to Occur in Turkey

"Is This War Armageddon? Starting Events to Take Place in Turkey and the Near East." This will be the subject of an address on Bible prophecy to be given by Clifford A. Reeves, well-known speaker from Lindsay, Ontario, on Sunday night, at the Capitol Theatre.

United churchs will lead community at 7.15, under the direction of Maurice Smith, A.T.C.M.

On Thursday night at 7.45, the Chamber of Commerce auditorium, Mr. Reeves will show motion pictures entitled "Russia Stops Germany." This will be followed by a lecture, "The World's Greatest Army and Its Sinister Designs."

"Psychology and Belief" Subject

At the Sunday morning service in Belmont Avenue United Church, Rev. H. W. Earley will preach on "Man's Extremity—God's Opportunity." The choir will render the anthem, "Lord, Lead Us Heavenward." In the evening the sermon subject will be "Psychology and Belief." The choir will sing "O Give Thanks" with Mrs. Hardy as soloist. A solo will also be sung by Miss Estella Clarke.

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WILL LECTURE ON DOUBLE BETRAYAL

E. E. Richards to Ask "How Pro-Is Britain From War With Vichy?"

"A Double Betrayal" will be the subject of the address to be given by E. E. Richards on Sunday at 8 o'clock in the Crystal Garden, Bellevue and Douglas streets.

Mr. Richards will speak on the betrayal of France and of the Allies in Marshal Petain's surrender to Hitler's demands, and the disastrous consequences which seem inevitably follow. "Pierre Laval's rise has resulted in power and the changing picture in the Mediterranean—how far is Britain from war with the Vichy Government?" will be discussed.

INVESTMENTS IN LIFE IS MESSAGE

Tomorrow morning at Oak Bay United Church, the minister, Rev. F. S. G. Dredge, will speak on "Investments in Life," and the choir will sing the anthem, "If Ye Love Me" (Vaughan) and Miss Rosie Mae Parfitt will sing a solo, selected. In the evening the sermon subject will be "Character and the Religious Life." The anthem will be "O Taste and See" (Hastings).

"AFTER DEATH, WHAT?"—TO BE PASTOR'S TOPIC

"First Essentials for Young Christians" will be the 11 a.m. Sunday morning sermon in Trinity Church, pastor of the Gospel Tabernacle of Victoria, Pandora Avenue and Cedar Avenue, Vancouver, Rev. Canon Hiscox, Rector, will take as his subject, "The Unanswered Cry." Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock the Brownies Club meets. There will be a long silence consideration of the Abeltide, and reading of Emerson's essay, "Experience." Wednesday evening, at 8 o'clock, there will be a healing meeting.

VICTORIA WEST UNITED

At Victoria West United Church on Sunday at 11 a.m. tomorrow the choir will sing two anthems "The Heaven's Proclaim Him" by Gounod and "Jesu as I Am" by Bowles. The minister, Rev. J. C. Jackson, will speak on "The Brotherhood of Burning Hearts." There will be an anthem by the choir.

Prayer After Illness

Time me for life again, O quiet Wisdom!
Strive to adjust my loosened thought to mold;
Made tired, they shall be yielding to Thy Sayings.
Give to me the winds that touch the hill.
Rhyme me with life once more, O Poet,
Out of my misery,
Sunlit, beauty
Cool rippling, human, yet certain as Spring
Watery against the edges of this lake.
Fit me for life again, O painting Artist,
Paint on my tired and glad, vivid things
Splash light upon the dullness
Lovely as jasmine or a bluebird's wing.

—Yvdes Allsyn Storey in Good Housekeeping

GUEST SPEAKER AT ST. JOHN'S

Rev. Alan D. Greene, Columbia Coast Mission Head, Gives Morning Message

REV. ALAN D. GREENE

At St. John's Church, Rev. Alan D. Greene, M.A., head of the Columbia Coast Mission, will be the speaker on Sunday at 11 a.m. At 7:30 p.m. Rev. George Biddle will preach on the subject, "We Pound Our Pulses Pressing the Nation."

Veterans of the 1st Canadian Machine Gun Brigade at this service, also the ladies of the Canadian Forestry Auxiliary Overseas, together with members of the auxiliaries of the R.C.A.F. and the R.A.C.O.S.E. Bandsmen are asked to be seated in church by 7 p.m.

At 7:10 p.m. there will be an organ recital by Ian Cockburn "Andante Pastorale" (Thomas Adams); "Prelude and Fugue in D Minor" (Bach), "Largo" (Samuel Wesley)

Midweek service of Holy Communion Thursday at 10:30 a.m. and war intercessions at 7:30 p.m.

CHANGES WILL BE MADE IN CHURCH

Rev. Dr. W. J. Sippell Will Discuss On Sunday Post-War Rehabilitation Programme

The changes in teaching and policy that will be necessary to make the church function as it should in the new day of peace will be discussed by Rev. Dr. W. J. Sippell under the heading, "The Church We Shall Need When the War Is Over," at the morning service at Fairfield United Church on Sunday.

Music for the morning will be anthem, "Holy, Holy, Holy" by Alcock, and solo by Mrs. Kenmuir, to be selected.

The subject of Dr. Sippell's sermon for the evening will be "Prayer and Power." The music will be anthem, "Incline Thine Ear," by Ivanoff, and a solo, "The Lord's Prayer," by Malotte, by Robert Hamilton.

MISSION OF ALEXIS

The Spiritual Mission of Alexis Iverzis on Sunday at 1412 Douglas Street. At 7:30 o'clock the visiting speaker will be Rev. S. Kopylenko, Vancouver, who will give a trance address followed by messages. On Monday at 8 o'clock the music will be and message meeting will be held at 1042 Blanshard Road.

ST. AIDAN'S CHURCH

Rev. T. O. Griffiths will preach Sunday morning and evening at St. Aidan's United Church, Mt. Tolmie. The morning anthem will be "Send Thy Holy Spirit," and solo by T. Hetzer. The evening anthem, "O Be Joyful," and solo by Ruth Davies.

CHURCH NOTICES

CHRISTADELPHIAN

Christadelphian Ocean Hall, Cormorant Street Morning 11 evening 7.30 sunday, Bible class and Sunday School 10 a.m. Wednesday, Bible class 7.30 p.m. Sunday School Sunday 10 a.m. Wednesday Bible class 7.30 p.m. Sunday School Sunday 10 a.m. Wednesday Bible class 7.30 p.m. Sunday School Sunday 10 a.m. Wednesday Bible class 7.30 p.m.

GOSPEL HALL

Gospel Hall, Douglas Street, Sunday Bible Reading 11 a.m. Sunday School 3 p.m. Gospel Meeting 7.30 p.m. Wednesday Bible Reading 7.30 p.m. Sunday School Sunday 10 a.m. Wednesday Bible class 7.30 p.m. Sunday School Sunday 10 a.m. Wednesday Bible class 7.30 p.m. Sunday School Sunday 10 a.m. Wednesday Bible class 7.30 p.m.

SALVATION ARMY

Salvation Army Citadel, Broad Street. Sunday Holiness 11 a.m. Sunday Prophetic Meeting 3.15 p.m. Sunday Evangelistic Meeting 7.30 p.m. Monday Prayer Meeting 7.45 p.m. Tuesday Bible Class 7.30 p.m. Wednesday Prayer Meeting 7.30 p.m. Thursday Meeting 8 p.m. Friday Meeting 8 p.m. Saturday Meeting 8 p.m.

SOCIETY OF FRIENDS

Friends' Meeting House, 1126 Fort Street, Sunday 11 a.m. Wednesday 7.30 p.m. Monday 7.30 p.m.

SPIRITUALISTS

Open Door Spiritualist Church, 714 Cormorant Street. Sunday 7.30 p.m. Trance messages. Monday 7.45 p.m. Healing circle. Thursday 8 p.m. Healing circle.

Spiritualist Church, 1412 Douglas Street. Sunday 7.30 p.m. Trance messages. Monday 8 p.m. Healing and message. Thursday 8 p.m. Healing.

Doctrine of Atonement Is Subject

"Doctrine of Atonement" will be the subject of the lesson-sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday. The golden text is "Christ is not entered into the holy places made with hands, which are the figures of the true; but into heaven itself, now to appear in the presence of God for us" (Hebrews ix 24).

Among the citations which comprise the lesson-sermon is the following from the Bible: "Therefore if any man be in Christ, he is a new creature: old things are passed away; behold, all things are become new" (II Corinthians v, 17).

SPEAKS AT BOTH SERVICES SUNDAY

The services at St. Mary's, Oak Bay, on Sunday will be celebration of Holy Communion at 8 a.m., Matins and sermon at 11, and Evensong with sermon at 7 p.m. The rector, Rev. Archdeacon Hill, will preach both morning and evening.

There will be a short service in the church at 3.45 for members of the senior Sunday school, and at 11 the hall for the junior school.

The weekly service of intercessions on Tuesday morning at 10:30 and at the same hour on Thursday the midweek celebration of Holy Communion with special intercessions.

On Saturday (St. Mark's Day), the Holy Communion will be celebrated at 9 a.m.

WHERE ARE OUR BLESSED DEAD?

Dr. J. B. Rowell Has Vital Message Tomorrow Night At Central Baptist

"Where Are Our Blessed Dead? Is There Soul-Sleep or Consciousness After Death? The Light of Revelation on Our Life Beyond the Grave" is the vital message for Sunday evening in the Central Baptist Church, Pandora Avenue, when the pastor, Dr. J. B. Rowell, will continue a brief series of Sunday evening sermons entitled "After Death—What?"

The pastor's message at the morning service at 11 o'clock will be "Responsibility or Certainty? Safeguarding Eternal Issues." The Lord's Supper will be observed.

The Sunday school will classes for all to hold at 9.45 a.m., and the "Bye's Cub-Together" on Monday evening at 7:30.

At St. Barnabas'

The services next Sunday, the second after Easter, at St. Barnabas' Church, will be as follows: 8 a.m. Holy Communion; 11 a.m., Choral Eucharist and sermon; 7:30 p.m., Evensong and sermon. Daily at 8 a.m., Holy Communion is celebrated, and on Wednesday at 5 p.m. a special service of intercession is held.

FREE METHODIST

Services will be held tomorrow in the Priscilla Church, 1539 Pembroke Street. The 7 p.m. Evening Prayer will be given at 8 o'clock by Mrs. A. Simpson.

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church
Beacon Street at Beaconfield
Minister Rev. J. Lachlan McLeod, M.A.
11 A.M.—THE CHRISTIAN ORE OF THE BIBLE
7:30 P.M.—"WHAT'S THE USE NOW ABOUT THE CHURCH?"
WE WELCOME VISITORS

FIRST UNITED CHURCH
Corner Quadra and Mitchell Streets
11 A.M.—Rev. Wm. Wilson
"INTERTWISTS IN LIFE"
7:30 P.M.—Rev. Wm. Wilson
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11 A.M.—"INTERTWISTS IN LIFE"
Sermon: 11 A.M. and 7:30 P.M.
Sunday School—9.45 A.M.

FAIRFIELD UNITED CHURCH
(Fire Points) — Pastor: Rev. Dr. W. J. Sippell
11 A.M.—"THE CHURCH AFTER THE WAR"
7:30 P.M.—"THE BRILLIANT WOMAN"
TUESDAY, APRIL 21 — 8:00 P.M.
Club of the Open Door Will Hear J. Call Pending in an Illustrated Address

Metropolitan United Church
CORNER PANDORA AVE. AND QUADRA ST.
MINISTER: REV. A. E. WHITEHOUSE, B.D., D.D.
11 A.M.—
"LIFE'S TANGLED WEB"
7:30 P.M.—
"A LAYMAN'S RELIGION"
BY SPECIAL REQUEST
At the Evening Service Dr. Whitehouse will repeat by special request a sermon preached recently under the caption of "A Layman's Religion." It was urged that its presentation was a helpful contribution from church laymen in general and would be widely appreciated.
SPECIAL MUSIC BY THE CHOIR AND MALE CHORUS
VISITORS AND STRANGERS WELCOME!

THE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Moore and Beaconsfield Streets
Minister: Rev. A. E. Reynolds, Bachelor
11 A.M.—"THE PERFECT OF MEETING GOD"
7:30 P.M.—SPECIAL YOUNG PEOPLE'S SERVICE—SUBJECT: "REAL SUCCESS"
Wednesday—8 P.M. Church Quarterly Business Meeting

CRYSTAL GARDEN, SUNDAY, 8 P.M.
Under the Auspices of the Victoria Branch
"A DOUBLE BETRAYAL"
"VIOLENCE ARE THE ALLIES BETRAYED TO HITLER"
"LAVAL ARRIVES IN PARIS—WHAT DOES IT MEAN?"
"BRITAIN'S DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS WITH VICHY"
Bookroom and Lending Library: 708 Cormorant St. Phone E 6225

EMPIRE MINISTRY
MR. J. W. PARKER, of Vancouver, B.C.
THE KINGDOM EVANGELIST
One of Canada's Outstanding Bible Expounders, Will Speak Sunday Evening, April 19, at 7:15 o'Clock, in the
CRYSTAL GARDEN, DOUGLAS STREET
The Topic Will Be
"A Living Gospel for a Dying World"
Come and Hear Him and Be Convinced
No Charge (Collection—Hear From Every Thin Page

GLAD TIDINGS TABERNACLE
Corner Pandora Street (P.A.O.C.—A. W. Robinson), Pastor
7:30 A.M.—Sunday School 11 A.M.—THE PRESENCE OF THE HOLY SPIRIT
7:30 P.M.—SPECIAL YOUNG PEOPLE'S SERVICE
The evident body of the British Columbia District Council will conduct this service. Musicians in young musicians and instrumental ensemble. Prayer. The evening Gleaner Ministry by Miss V. Sanders

AROUND the DIAL

TODAY'S HIGHLIGHTS

8:30 a.m.—Vice-President Henry A. Wallace speaking at the graduation exercises of the U.S. Army ordnance officers, who have been attending Officers' Candidate School at Aberdeen, Maryland. KJR.

10:10 a.m.—Letters from Britain. CBR.

6:00 p.m.—Opera Hour. CJVI.

2:00 p.m.—Cleveland Symphony Orchestra, Dr. Artur Rodzinski conducting, "Rule Britannia" overture. KIRO.

6:00 p.m.—Play by play account of the final game of the Stanley Cup hockey series between Toronto Maple Leafs and Detroit Red Wings direct from Maple Leaf Gardens in Toronto, Foster Hewitt handling the play by play. CBR.

7:30 p.m.—Saturday Night in Britain. CJVI.

9:45 p.m.—This Is War, "Bridge of Ships." KOMO, KJR, KIRO, KOL.

TODAY'S NEWS BROADCASTS

Morning—7:30, CJVI; 8:00, CBR, CJOR, CKWX; 8:15, KOMO, KIRO; 8:30, CJVI, KOL; 8:45, CKWX; 9:00, CBR, KJR, KOL; 9:15, CJOR; 9:30, CJVI, KOL; 10:00, KOL; 10:45, CJOR; 11:00, KIRO, KOL; 12:00, KOL.

Afternoon—12:05, CKWX; 12:30, CJVI, CBR, CJOR, KOL; 1:00, CBR; 3:00, KOL; 6:25, CJOR; 3:30, CJVI, KOMO; 6:00, KOL; 3:45, CBR; 4:30, CJVI, KOMO; 4:45, KIRO, KOMO; 5:00, KOL; 5:45, KIRO; 5:55, KIRO.

Evening—6:15, KJR; 6:30, CJVI, CKWX; 7:00, KOL, CJOR; 7:45, KIRO, CJOR; 8:00, CBR, CKWX, KOL; 8:30, CJVI; 8:55, KIRO; 9:00, KOL; 9:30, KJR; 10:15, KIRO, KOL; 10:30, CJVI, CBR, KOL; 10:55, KOMO; 11:00, KOL; 11:30, KOL; 11:55, CBR, KJR, CJOR, CKWX, KOMO.

SUNDAY'S HIGHLIGHTS

6:30 a.m.—Greetings from the Beaver Club. CBR.

12:00 noon—New York Philharmonic Symphony Orchestra, Bruno Walter conducting. CBR, KIRO.

2:30 p.m.—Talk by the Governor-General of Canada in connection with the campaign against diphtheria being sponsored by the Health League of Canada. CBR.

3:00 p.m.—Jack Benny will play the lead in "The Amazing Mr. Williams" on the Silver Theatre. KIRO.

3:30 p.m.—The Navy Is Here. CBR.

9:00 p.m.—Lippy Leo Durocher, manager of the Brooklyn Dodgers, will be guest on Fred Allen's programme. KIRO.

SUNDAY'S NEWS BROADCASTS

Morning—8:00, KJR, KOL; 8:30, KOL, CKWX; 8:45, CJOR; 6:00, CBR, KOMO; 8:30, KOL; 8:55, CKWX; 10:00, KOL; 10:30, KIRO; 10:45, CJVI; 11:00, CBR; 11:55, KIRO; 12:00, KOL.

Afternoon—10:15, KOMO; 10:45, CJVI; 2:00, KOL; 3:45, KIRO; 3:55, CKWX; 4:00, KJR; 4:30, KIRO; 4:45, CBR; 3:00, KOL; 6:45, CJVI, CBR, KIRO, KOL; 6:55, KIRO.

Evening—6:30, CKWX; 8:45, CJOR; 7:00, CJVI, CKWX; 8:00, CBR, KOL; 8:25, KIRO; 8:45, CJVI; 9:00, CJOR, KOL; 9:25, KIRO; 9:30, KJR; 10:00, KOL, CJOR, KOMO, CKWX; 10:15, KIRO; 11:55, CBR.

Saturday's Programme

For last-minute programme changes on the C.B.C. Network, listen to "For Our Listeners" every day at 12:30 p.m.—just before the news.

(Pacific Daylight Time)

7:30 A.M.—News (CJVI).

8:00 A.M.—Musical Clock (CJVI). News (CBR, CJOR, CKWX). Inside Stories (KOMO). Everyman's Chapel (KJR). Tunes at 710 (KIRO). Here's Music (KOL).

8:15 A.M.—The Band Played On (CBR). News (KIRO, KOMO, KOL). Ranch Boys (CJOR). Musical Clock (CKWX).

8:30 A.M.—News (CJVI, KOL). Prelude to a Happy Day (CBR). Janet Jordan (KOMO). Graduation (KJR). Front Page Drama (KIRO). Billy Browne (CJOR). Just About Time (CKWX).

8:45 A.M.—Morning Meditations (CJVI). Piano (KOMO). Farm Service (KIRO). At Home for Music (KOL). News (CKWX).

9:00 A.M.—Listen to Leibert (CJVI). B.B.C. News (CBR). Music Room (KOMO). News (KOL, KJR). Armstrong Theatre of Today (KIRO). Tropical Moods (CJOR). Wilf Wylie (CKWX).

9:15 A.M.—Morning Bulletin Board (CJVI). Peter Dawson, baritone (CBR). Consumer's Time (KOMO). Troubadour and the Lady (KJR). Rae Daughters (KOL). News (CJOR).

9:30 A.M.—News (CJVI). Children's Scrapbook (CBR). Ilka Chase Entertains (KOMO). National Farm and Home Hour (KJR). Washington Hi-Lo (KIRO). Starred for Listening (KOL).

Memory Melodies (CJOR). Scouting the Shops (CKWX).

9:45 A.M.—Morning Bulletin Board, continued (CJVI). Rhythm on the Range (KIRO). House of the West (KOL).

10:00 A.M.—Concert Miniature (CJVI). [illegible] (CBR). [illegible]. Orchestra (KJR). Let's Pretend (KIRO). News (KOL). Orchestra (CJOR). Tree Fish Stories (CKWX).

10:15 A.M.—Letters From Britain (CBR). Don Isham (KOL). Latin-American Melody (CKWX).

10:30 A.M.—Rhythm Matinee (CJVI). America the Free (KOMO). Piano (KJR). Adventures in Science (KIRO). Know Your Bible (KOL). On the Mall (CJOR). Parade of Bands (CKWX).

10:45 A.M.—Joan Brooks (CBR). Aloha Land (KJR). Orchestra (KOL). News (CJOR).

11:00 A.M.—News and British Echoes (CJVI). Symphonic Hour (CBR). The Aldrich Family (KOMO). Fantasy in Melody (KJR). News and Of Men and Books (KIRO). News and Orchestra (KOL). Pre-Rec on Parade (CJOR). Musical Memories (CKWX).

11:15 A.M.—Anything Goes (CJOR).

11:30 A.M.—Musicopia (CJVI). On With the Dance (KOMO). News (KJR). Bush Creek Follies (KIRO). Fiesta of Song (KOL). On With the Dance (CJOR). Concert Caravan (CKWX).

11:45 A.M.—Here's to You (KOMO, KJR). Orchestra (KOL).

12:00 Noon—Waltzes and Songs (CJVI). R.C.A.F. Band (CBR, KJR). From New England to You (KOMO). Country Journal (KIRO). News (KOL). Fourth Floor Studio (CJOR).

12:05 P.M.—News (CKWX).

12:15 P.M.—Pinto Pete (CJVI). On the Home Front (KOMO). Melody Supplement (KOL). The Little Show (CKWX).

12:30 P.M.—News (CJVI, CBR, CJOR). Campus Capers (KOMO). Orchestra (KJR). Farmers' Conference (KIRO). News and University Music Hour (KOL). Music for Moderns (CKWX).

12:45 P.M.—Tropical Moods (CJVI). Orchestra (CBR). Ballad Music (CJOR).

1:00 P.M.—Pop Concert (CJVI). News and Club Matinee (CBR). Down Mexico Way (KOMO). Club Matinee (KJR). Matinee at Meadowbrook (KIRO). Orchestra (KOL). Famous Voices (CJOR). Gems of Melody (CKWX).

1:30 P.M.—Musical Merry-Go-Round (CJVI). Air Youth for Defence (KOMO). News (KIRO). News and Orchestra (KOL). Dance Time (CJOR).

1:45 P.M.—Your Number Please (KOMO). Matinee at Meadowbrook, continued (KIRO).

2:00 P.M.—Opera Hour (CJVI). Gentlemen With Wings (CBR). Doctors at Work (KOMO). Orchestra (KJR). Cleveland Symphony Orchestra (KIRO). News and Orchestra (KOL). Kitty Keene's Brevities (CJOR). Saturday Swing Show (CKWX).

2:25 P.M.—News (CJOR).

2:30 P.M.—News (CJVI, KOMO). Impressions by Green (CBR). Studio Party (CJOR). Dance Orchestra (KJR).

2:45 P.M.—News (KJR).

3:00 P.M.—"Khaki Scrapbook" (CBR). Golden Melodies (KOMO). Inside Stories and Orchestra (KJR). Orchestra (KIRO). News and Anchors Aweigh (KOL). Symphony Hour (CJOR). Symphony Programme (CKWX).

3:15 P.M.—C.B.C. News (CBR). Calling Pan-America (KIRO).

3:25 P.M.—News (KOMO).

3:30 P.M.—Religion in the News (KOMO). School Choir (CBR). Jean Cavall, songs (KJR). Fighting Tools (KOL). Symphony (CKWX).

3:45 P.M.—B.B.C. News (CBR). Three Suns Trio (KOMO). Ed. Tomlinson (KJR). The World Today (KIRO). Orchestra (KOL).

4:00 P.M.—Tea Party (CJVI). Messages From the Troops (CBR). Noah Webster Says (KOMO). Little Blue Playhouse (KJR). Orchestra (KIRO). Afternoon Serenade (KOL). Tea Dance (CJOR). Variety Hour (CKWX).

4:15 P.M.—Afternoon Varieties (CBR).

4:30 P.M.—News (CJVI, KOMO). Salon Orchestra (CBR). Message of Israel (KJR). Keep Them Flying (KIRO). Confidentially Yours (KOL). Master Singers (CJOR).

4:45 P.M.—Kitten the Range (CJVI). James Mintie (CBR). H. V. Kaltenborn (KOMO). News (KIRO). Gotham Sy (KOL). Dick Leibert (CJOR).

5:00 P.M.—Nickel Serenade (CJVI). News and With the Troops in Britain (CBR). Newspaper Adventures (KOMO). Orchestra (KJR). Short Story (KIRO). News (KOL). Ranger's Cabin (CJOR). Safety Club (CKWX).

5:15 P.M.—Sports Scripts (KOMO). U.S. Navy (KIRO). Tropical Serenade (KOL). Concert Hall (CJOR).

5:30 P.M.—Speed Gibson (CJVI). Gentlemen With Wings (CBR). Music (KOMO). Concert Hour (KOL). Swap Night (KJR). Popularity Preferred (KIRO). Poet's Gold (CKWX).

5:45 P.M.—Aloha Land (CJVI). By the Way (KOMO). News (KIRO). Sinfonietta (KOL). What's On Tonight (CJOR). Our Fellowship (CKWX).

5:55 P.M.—News (KIRO).

6:00 P.M.—Sports Spotlight (CJVI). Toronto-Detroit Hockey (CBR). National Barn Dance (KOMO). Jewish Welfare Anniversary (KJR). This is Washington (KIRO). Club 900 (CJOR). Magnante, accordion (CKWX).

6:15 P.M.—Time Out (CJVI). News (KJR). Sports Review (CJOR). U.B.C. Programme (CKWX).

6:30 P.M.—News (CJVI, CKWX). Rochester Civic Orchestra (KJR). I See by the Papers (KIRO). Spotlight Bands (KOL). Club 900 (CJOR).

6:45 P.M.—Dinner Dance (CJVI). Saturday Night Serenade (KIRO). For the People (CJOR). Album of Yesterday (CKWX).

7:00 P.M.—Symphony of Melody (CJVI). Sports Newsreel (KOMO). Tune Out Time (KJR). News (KOL).

Don Wilson, news (CJOR). Jerry Sears (CKWX).

7:15 P.M.—Labor for Victory (KOMO). What People Think (KIRO). America Preferred (KOL). A to Z in Novelty (CJOR). Echoes From the Screen (CKWX).

7:30 P.M.—Saturday Night in Britain (CJVI). Stag Party (CBR). Grand Ole Opera (KOMO). Red Ryder (KJR). Organ (CJOR). Joymakers (CKWX).

7:45 P.M.—Musical Scrapbook (KOL). News (CJOR, KIRO).

8:00 P.M.—Concert Hall (CJVI). [illegible]. Truth or Consequences (KOMO). Green Hornet (KJR). Orchestra (KIRO). News and California Melodies (KOL). Orchestra (CJOR).

8:15 P.M.—Wings Abroad (CBR).

8:30 P.M.—News (CJVI). Share the Wealth (CBR). Irish Hour (KOMO). A.B.O.D. News (KJR). Bobby Lamb (KIRO). Cornish Players (KOL). Handbill Lariat (CJOR). Romance in Song (CKWX).

8:45 P.M.—A to Z in Novelty (CJVI). Salon Music (CJOR).

8:55 P.M.—News (KIRO).

9:00 P.M.—Russ Morgan (CJVI). Best of the Week (CBR, KOMO). See All Americans (KJR). Ambassadors (CJOR). Your Hit Parade (KIRO). News (KOL). Saturday Night Dancing Party (CKWX).

9:15 P.M.—Starred for Listening (KOL).

9:30 P.M.—The Dreamers (CJVI). Dances of the Nations (CBR). University Explorer (KOMO). News (KJR). Salon Orchestra (KOL). Orchestra (CKWX).

9:45 P.M.—"This Is War" (KIRO, KOMO, KJR, KOL).

10:00 P.M.—Swing Session (CJVI). Orchestra (CBR). News (CKWX).

10:15 P.M.—Hawaiian Pastorale (CJVI). Organ (KOMO). On With the Dance (KJR). News (KIRO, KOL). Orchestra (CKWX).

10:30 P.M.—News (CJVI, CBR). Orchestra (KOMO). News and Orchestra (KOL). Orchestra (CJOR, KJR). Cavalcade of Music (CKWX).

10:45 P.M.—Richard Leibert (CJVI). Orchestra (CBR). Public Affairs (KIRO). At Close of Day (CKWX).

10:55 P.M.—News (KOMO).

11:00 P.M.—With the Troops in Britain (CBR). Evening Reveries (KOMO). This Moving World (KJR). Maribe Moore and Edwin Tee (KIRO). News and Orchestra (KOL). Party Time (CJOR). Anything Goes (CKWX).

11:15 P.M.—Orchestra (KJR).

11:30 P.M.—Orchestra (CBR, KOMO). Easy Listening (KIRO). News and Orchestra (KOL).

11:45 P.M.—News for Alaska (KIRO). Organ (KJR).

11:55 P.M.—News (CBR, KJR, CJOR, CKWX, KOMO).

Sunday's Programme

For last-minute programme changes on the C.B.C. Network, listen to "For Our Listeners" every day at 12:30 p.m.—just before the news.

(Pacific Daylight Time)

8:00 A.M.—Rhapsody of the Rockies (CBR). Sacred Hour (KOMO). News (KJR). Church of the Air (KIRO). News and Music (KOL). Classical Gems (CKWX).

8:15 A.M.—Recital Period (KJR).

8:30 A.M.—Revue in Miniature (CBR, KJR). Fellowship Hour (KOMO). Invitation to Learning (KIRO). News (KOL, CKWX).

8:45 A.M.—Voice of Tomorrow (KJR). Kerman Hall (KOL). News (CJOR).

9:00 A.M.—K.C.C. News (CBR). News (KOMO, KOL). Church of the People (KJR). Syncopation Piece (KIRO). Alberta Bible Institute (CJOR). International Lesson (CKWX).

9:15 A.M.—Between Ourselves (CBR). Gospel Hour (KOMO). Piano Quartette (KJR). Christian Science Programme (KOL).

9:30 A.M.—Greetings From the Beaver Club (CBR). Radio City Music Hall (KJR). Salt Lake Tabernacle Choir and Organ (KIRO). News (KOL). Sunday Hour (CJOR). Morning Stars (CKWX).

9:45 A.M.—Sammy Kaye (KOMO).

9:55 A.M.—News (CKWX).

10:00 A.M.—Hello, Children (CBR). News Digest (KOMO). Church of the Air (KIRO). News (KOL). Church of Hollywood (CKWX).

10:15 A.M.—Just Mary (CBR). Music for Neighbours (KOMO). Romance of the Highways (KOL). Sunday Concert (CKWX).

10:30 A.M.—Concert Echoes (CJVI). Heritage of Song (CBR). The World Is Yours (KOMO). Capt. Quiz (KJR). News (KIRO). Fiesta of Song (KOL). God's Hour (CJOR).

10:45 A.M.—News (CJVI). Cecil Solly (KJR). Hymns of Worship (KIRO). Canary Chorus (KOL).

11:00 A.M.—Christ Church Cathedral (CJVI). C.B.C. News and Old Country Mail (CBR). Garden Talks (KOMO). Pet Parade (KJR). Spirit of '43 (KIRO). Sweet Music (KOL). Metropolitan Tabernacle (CJOR). First United Church (CKWX).

11:15 A.M.—Anzac News Letter (CBR). Serenade (KJR). Excursions in Science (KOL).

11:30 A.M.—Religious Period (CBR). Chicago Round Table (KOMO). University Christian Church (KJR). Columbia Workshop (KIRO). News and Strings in Swingtime (KOL).

11:45 A.M.—Hollywood Whispers (KOL).

11:55 A.M.—News (KIRO).

12:00 Noon—New York Philharmonic Symphony Orch. (CBR, KIRO). Chats on Dogs (KOMO). John Searle (KJR). News (KOL).

12:15 P.M.—H. V. Kaltenborn (KOMO). Studio Party (KJR). At Home for Music (KOL).

12:30 P.M.—Concert Gems (CJVI). Army Hour (KOMO). Dance Time (KJR). Sixteen Point One Club (KOL). Calvin Hour (CJOR). Music for Sunday (CKWX).

12:45 P.M.—News (CJVI). Defence Report (KJR, KOL).

1:00 P.M.—Sign Off (CJVI). Bible Studies (KJR). Lutheran Hour (KOL). Famous Voices (CJOR). Piano (CKWX).

1:15 P.M.—King's Messenger (CJOR). It Had Been You (CKWX).

1:30 P.M.—Church of the Air (CBR). Listen America (KOMO). Gospel Hour (KJR). The Poems That Refreshes (KIRO).

Young People's Church of the Air (KOL). Shut-In (CJOR). Matinee in Rhythm (CKWX).

1:45 P.M.—Music (CJOR).

2:00 P.M.—News and Organ (CBR). Tropical Moods (KOMO). Orchestra (KJR). The Family Hour (KIRO). News and I Hear America Singing (KOL). Don Wilson, news (CJOR). Waltz Time (CKWX).

2:15 P.M.—News (KOMO). Popularity Preferred (KIRO). Old-Timers (KJR). Pacific Coast Mission (CJOR). Week-End News Summary (CKWX).

2:30 P.M.—[illegible] (CBR). [illegible]. Wheeling Steelmakers (KJR). Halls of Montezuma (KOL). Four Fredericks (CKWX).

2:45 P.M.—Orchestra (CBR). News (KIRO). Orchestra (CJOR). Salon Interlude (CKWX).

3:00 P.M.—Sweet and Low (CBR). Silver Theatre (KIRO). Quiz of Two Cities (KOMO). This Is War (KOL). Slightly (CKWX).

3:15 P.M.—Foursquare Gospel Lighthouse (CJOR).

3:30 P.M.—"Call to Youth" (CBR). Captain Quiz (KOMO). News and Orchestra (KOL). Gospel Hour (KJR). Gene Autry (KIRO). Gypsy Violins (CKWX).

3:45 P.M.—B.B.C. News (CBR). B.C. Church of the Air (CJOR). Upton Close (KOMO). Gypsy Violins (CKWX).

3:55 P.M.—News (CKWX).

4:00 P.M.—News (KJR). Neighborly News (CBR). Jack Benny (KOMO). The Americas Speak (KOL). Symphony Hour (CKWX).

4:15 P.M.—Melody Album (CBR). Reading for Fun (KIRO). Lutheran Church (CJOR).

4:30 P.M.—Week-End Review (CBR). Band Wagon (KOMO). Grow a Garden (KJR). News (KIRO). Make Yourself at Home (KOL).

4:45 P.M.—News (CBR). Britains Hour (KJR). Reading for Fun (KIRO). Gospel Messengers (CJOR).

4:50 P.M.—The London Views the War (CBR).

5:00 P.M.—Music From the Classics (CJVI). Orchestra (CBR). Charlie McCarthy (KOMO). Gospel Clinic (KJR). Defence Programme (KIRO). News and American Forum (KOL). Theatre of Modern Music (CKWX).

5:15 P.M.—British-Israel Talk (CJOR). Theatre of Modern Music (CKWX).

5:30 P.M.—Christian Science Programme (CJVI). The Navy's Here (CBR). One Man's Family (KOMO). Jack Owens (KJR). Sunday Shadows (KIRO). Church in the Wildwood (CJOR).

5:45 P.M.—News (CJVI, CBR, KIRO, KOL). Pearson and Allen (KJR). World Fellowship Hour (CJOR). Theatre of Modern Music (CKWX).

5:55 P.M.—News (KIRO).

6:00 P.M.—Ports of Call (CJVI). Guest of Honor (CBR). Manhattan Merry-Go-Round (KOMO). Concert (KJR). Fred Allen Star Theatre (KIRO). Old-Fashioned Revival Hour (KOL). Symphony Hour (CJOR). Barry Wood (CKWX).

6:15 P.M.—Maybe It Is Your Eve (CKWX).

6:30 P.M.—Gospel Sunshine Hour (CJVI). Most Honored Music (CBR). American Album of Familiar Music (KOMO). National Conference (KJR). News (CKWX).

6:45 P.M.—Dinah Shore, songs (KJR). News (CJOR).

7:00 P.M.—In His Steps (CJVI, CKWX, CJOR). Whiteoaks of Jalna (CBR). Hour of Charm (KOMO). Goodwill Hour (KJR). Take It or Leave It (KIRO). Evening Concert (KOL).

7:15 P.M.—Christ Church Cathedral Bell Programme (CJVI).

7:30 P.M.—Christ Church Cathedral Service (CJVI). Walter Winchell (KOMO). Romance Time (KIRO). News and Keep 'em Rolling (KOL). Christ Church Cathedral (CJOR). First United Church Service (CKWX).

7:45 P.M.—Parker Family (KOMO).

8:00 P.M.—C.B.C. News (CBR). The Great Gildersleeve (KOMO). Inner Sanctum Mysteries (KJR). Crime Doctor (KIRO). News and Kanorah Ensemble (KOL).

8:15 P.M.—Britain Speaks (CBR).

8:25 P.M.—News (KIRO).

8:30 P.M.—B.B.C. Radio Newsreel (CBR). Three Sheets to the Wind (KOMO). Jack Benny (KJR). They Live Forever (KIRO). Answering You (KOL).

8:45 P.M.—News (CJVI).

9:00 P.M.—Sign Off (CJVI). Classics for Today (CBR). Jack Carson (KOMO). Grandpappy and His Pals (KJR). What's on Your Mind (KIRO). News (CJOR, KOL). Evening Serenade (CKWX).

9:15 P.M.—Voice of Prophecy (KOL). Bien Pacific (CJOR).

9:25 P.M.—News (KIRO).

9:30 P.M.—What Did They Think? (CBR). Log Cabin Farms (KOMO). News (KJR). Music (KIRO). The Shadow (CKWX).

9:45 P.M.—Defence Reports (KOMO). Radio Parade (KJR). Philadelphia Symphony Orchestra (KOL). Waltz Time (CJOR).

10:00 P.M.—Sanctuary (CBR). News (KOMO, CJOR, CKWX, KOL). National Vespers (KJR). Civilians for Defence (KIRO).

10:15 P.M.—Bridge to Dreamland (KOMO). News (KIRO). Intermezzo (CKWX).

10:30 P.M.—C.B.C. News (CBR). Gospel Hour (KJR). News (KOL).

10:45 P.M.—Crescendo and Gay (CBR). At Close of Day (CKWX). Orchestra (KOL).

11:00 P.M.—Prelude to Midnight (CBR). This Moving World (KJR). Public Affairs (KIRO).

11:15 P.M.—Organ (KJR). Columbia Workshop (KIRO).

11:45 P.M.—News for Alaska (KIRO).

11:55 P.M.—News (CBR).

MAKE OWN SIGNALS

VANCOUVER, April 17 (CP).—City Electrician Thomas Martin said today that Vancouver would make its own traffic signals in future at a substantial saving to the city. He said city mechanics had made a four-way intersection flasher at a cost of $60, compared with $475 the signal would cost in the United States. It will be installed immediately.

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SGT.-OBS. R. J. C. TAIT

VICTORIA-BORN airman who has arrived in England, where he will serve with the R.C.A.F., Sergeant Tait, aged twenty-two, recently spent his embarkation leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Tait, 3876 Point Grey Road, Vancouver. He was a third-year science student at the University of British Columbia when he enlisted in the Air Force in May of last year. He received his wings in Regina in February. Sergeant Tait attended schools in Oak Bay Municipality and Victoria College.

City & District

City Temperatures—Maximum and minimum temperatures recorded yesterday at the Dominion Meteorological Observatory on Gonzales Hill were 56 and 40 degrees respectively. The maximum temperature observed on the grounds of the Strathcona Hotel was 56 degrees and the minimum 41 degrees.

Nine Fined—Eight motorists were each fined $2.50 yesterday in the city police court for various infractions of parking regulations. One man was fined $2.50 for failing to have a licence for his dog.

Premises Entered — Thieves, who smashed three windows on the premises of Currie & Gillespie, Ltd., at 1036 Fort Street, escaped with sixteen rings, bracelets and pendants early yesterday morning. Detectives Donaldson and P. W. Richards are investigating.

Seek Grant — Application for a grant to assist in maintaining services to the juvenile court was made at the City Hall, yesterday, by the Children's Aid Society. Members seek to address the council following a meeting of directors on April 29.

Stolen Twice — A truck stolen from B. Dalziel, 2308 Fernwood Road, was found at the rear of Prince Robert House early yesterday morning by Constable Norman Bath. The vehicle was missing again when police informed Mr. Dalziel and it was subsequently located on Speed Avenue.

Fuel Block Eased—The arrival of four carloads of wood in the Greater Victoria area this week has eased tension in the distribution of cut wood for firewood, Dr. W. A. Carrothers, chairman of the Provincial Fuel Control Board, said yesterday. At the same time, negotiations are proceeding between the board and distributors to see what arrangements can be made later in the year.

Cabinet Meeting — Premier John Hart presided at the final cabinet meeting of the week yesterday. While no public announcement was made, it was indicated that the civil service cost of living bonus issue had not yet been decided. Hon. G. S. Pearson confirmed an announcement made in Vancouver as to increase in mother's allowances commencing in April, as elsewhere reported.

Prison Terms—For stealing two pairs of trousers from the store of W. & J. Wilson at 1221 Government Street on Wednesday, Ernest J. Aucoin was sentenced to serve one year in prison at hard labor at the conclusion of his trial before Magistrate Henry C. Hall in the city police court yesterday. Eight previous convictions for theft and two for vagrancy were read against the accused. Royston E. Pipe, jointly charged with Aucoin, was sentenced to serve three months in prison at hard labor.

Gasoline Sales Up—Advance buying of gasoline in anticipation of rationing was blamed, in part, yesterday for an increase of 684,222 gallons of gasoline used in British Columbia during February, over and above the amount consumed in the corresponding month last year, Dr. W. A. Carrothers, chairman of the Provincial Fuel Control Board, said that a total of 4,776,609 gallons were used in the province in February, of which Vancouver used half, and the remainder of the province the balance. Sales for the month exceeded those of January by 201,700 gallons. Increased service use was believed to have accounted for some of the difference. Greater Victoria motorists used 14.3 per cent of the total.

ALL HE COULD

The doctor was puzzled.

"You ought to be pretty well by now," he said. "Have you carried out my instructions?"

"Well, Doctor," said the patient, "I've done most of them, but I can't take the two-mile walk every morning that you ordered. I get too dizzy."

"What do you mean—'dizzy'?" asked the doctor.

"Well," said the patient, "I must have forgotten to tell you. I'm a lighthouse-keeper."

CAMPAIGN HERE FOR PLEBISCITE

Liberals, Conservatives Combine in City-Wide Canvass for "Yes" Vote

Through the combined forces of [illegible] a city-wide campaign in support of the April 27 manpower plebiscite will open here next week.

At a meeting yesterday, prominent city Liberals and Conservatives formed a joint committee under the chairmanship of Brigadier J. Sutherland Brown to organize an intensive campaign for a "yes" vote in the plebiscite.

Committee rooms will be opened Monday morning at 1228 Government Street, where special telephones will be installed. Included in the campaign will be a wide telephone canvass.

An appeal for volunteer workers to assist at telephones and in campaign work was issued by Brigadier Brown at the conclusion of yesterday's meeting. Further plans for the campaign will be announced during the next few days, he said.

Secretary of the committee is E. M. Whyte. Committee members are Gordon Cameron, J. V. Johnson, Sinclair Elliott and C. M. Parrott.

B.C. PROBATION OFFICER NAMED

E. R. Stevens Selected for Follow-Up Care in Juvenile Court Cases

E. R. Stevens, formerly of the staff of Newhaven, has been appointed probation and follow-up officer in connection with the care of juvenile offenders, Hon. R. L. Maitland, K.C., announced yesterday, on his return from the Mainland. While the Newhaven home has been closed, its work will be carried on at Oakalla and elsewhere, the Attorney-General said.

Mr. Maitland said experience had shown that youths given a second chance in the courts seldom got into trouble again; while those who were dealt with more severely frequently turned to a life of crime. In so far as it was possible, lower courts throughout the province were co-operating by suspended sentences and otherwise to give youths in trouble a second chance.

As probation officer for first offenders, Mr. Stevens will attend court hearings in juvenile cases, and will also devote his time to follow-up care of those with whom his work brings him in contact, the Attorney-General stated.

Court of Appeal
Victoria Sittings

At the opening of the court yesterday morning the appeal in Welsh vs. Welsh was allowed. The Chief Justice handed down the judgment and advised that the court was unanimous in the opinion that the greatest weight should be given to Mrs. Welsh's wishes as to who should constitute the committee of her husband's person. The former committee was therefore removed and a new one named. Mrs. Welsh was also allowed from the estate an additional $50 a month for "pin" money. The costs of all parties were assessed against the estate.

The appeal in Richard John Burt, plaintiff-appellant, vs. W. Woodward, carrying on business under the name of Woodward Realty, defendant-respondent, was concluded during the morning session and decision was reserved. Frank Higgins, K.C., appeared for the appellant and Joseph McKenna for respondent.

The plaintiff entered into an agreement with the defendant to purchase a fish and chips business on Menzies Street in the City of Victoria and paid over the purchase price of $440. The defendant was unable to consummate the sale and returned the money, less the commission. The plaintiff sued for the return of his money and damages, and failed on the ground that the principal or owner should be sued rather than the agents of the principals.

The first criminal appeal, Rex vs. James Gray, appellant, was heard in the afternoon. Henry Smillie appeared for Gray and Carew Martin, K.C., for the Crown.

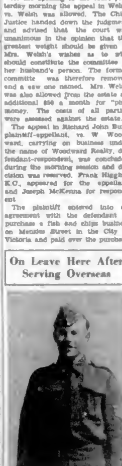
Gray, and one Dalton, were convicted by Police Magistrate H. C. Hall on March 6 last for attempting to rob the Model Sheet Metal Works and Gray was sentenced to fifteen months hard labor. Gray was found loitering near the premises at the time and the court adjudged him to be the "look-out" man.

The court was unanimous in allowing the appeal on the ground there was not sufficient evidence to support the conviction.

The court adjourned until Monday.

Peremptory List — Rex vs. Nellie Anderson; Rex vs. Clarke.

On Leave Here After Serving Overseas



SGT. E. G. McGEE

WHO is spending leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. McGee, 2900 Washington Street, after serving for the last two and a half years with the P.P.C.L.I. in England. One of a number of Canadians who recently arrived in Canada, Sergeant McGee will be assigned to special instructor duties. He married while in England and his wife is expected to arrive here soon to make her home. A former member of the permanent force, Sergeant McGee was stationed at Work Point Barracks before going overseas.

Harvey Moir Is Hurt in Mishap On Bridge Here

Harvey Moir, 340 Cook Street, was injured yesterday afternoon in a traffic accident on Point Ellice Bridge, and was rushed in the police patrol to the Royal Jubilee Hospital, where he was attended by Dr. T. M. Jones. Moir was suffering from shock, a cut over the right eye, bleeding from the nose and a possible fracture of the collar bone.

Moir, who was riding his bicycle east on the Point Ellice Bridge, collided with the south side of the bridge when he attempted to pass a motor car driven by Piara Singh, 718 Market Street.

Take Over Seed Farm at Duncan

The famous James Seed Farm near Duncan has been purchased by Buckerfield's Ltd., it was learned yesterday.

The 200-acre farm which has been idle for some years, will be directed by Dr. Pato, of Buckerfield's, and R. R. Horrex, manager of Rennie's Seeds.

Biggest immediate order is for 100,000 pounds of mangold seeds for England. In operations at Sumas and other areas many acres of carrot, radish and other vegetable seeds are being grown by the firm. The demand for such seeds, which promises to continue throughout the war and after, today is greater than the supply.

CITY A.R.P. FIREMEN VOLUNTEERS INSURED

Volunteer A.R.P. firemen serving with the City of Victoria are insured by the city and in the event of injury on duty would receive compensation, Chief Alex Munroe said yesterday.

Comment on the status of city volunteers followed the receipt of a resolution by E. O. Clarards, Oak Bay municipal fire chief, protesting against the scale of benefits provided by the Federal Government. The resolution was from the Oak Bay Auxiliary Fire Services A.R.P. whose members expressed dissatisfaction with the Government's stand in the matter of benefits.

BURNSIDE CUB PACK

The group committee of the Burnside Cub Pack will meet on Tuesday, April 21, at the home of Mrs. A. L. Stevenson, 3107 Washington Avenue, at 8 p.m.

FAILED TO REPORT

VANCOUVER, April 17 (CP).—John Thomas, twenty-one, was sentenced to six months in jail by Police Magistrate Mackenzie Matheson for failing to report for military service when ordered to. The charge was laid by C. J. Pennock, divisional registrar for the Department of War Services.

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Island Arts and Crafts Society annual exhibition of pictures, sculpture and crafts opens daily 3 p.m. to 6 p.m., Crystal Garden Gallery, bowling green entrance. Admission, 25 cents.

St. Mary's Women's Guild, "Bring and Buy" Sale, Tuesday, April 21, St. Mary's Hall, Yale Street, Oak Bay, 6 to 6 p.m. Plants and flowers also for sale. Afternoon tea, 15c. Proceeds for Red Cross drive.

Women's Canadian Club, Empress Hotel, Tuesday, April 21, 2:45 p.m. Mr. Bruce Hutchison, subject, "Canada, 1942."

Free—New Colonist Tabloid Cook Book. Circulation Department, The Colonist.

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HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS WANTED

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FLATS AND APARTMENTS TO RENT

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FLATS AND APARTMENTS WANTED

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HOUSES TO RENT

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WANTED TO RENT—HOUSES

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SUMMER RESORTS

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A Mart for Busy Readers—Property for Sale or Trade

TO OUT-OF-TOWN SUBSCRIBERS

Out-of-town subscribers who wish to answer advertisements in which only the telephone number of the advertiser is given may get the address of the advertiser by calling Colonist and communicate such replies to the advertiser

62 SUMMER RESORTS
(Continued)

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HOLLWOOD GUEST HOUSE KELOWNA, Okanagan Lake and environs. Fine residential section, beach, excursions in 2 boats, tennis, lawn, chickens. 1 lb free eggs per week. Good bathing, fishing, boating. Reasonable terms. Modern home, Bennett Avenue.

63 AUTOMOBILES

AUTOMOBILE LOANS
Repayable in Easy Monthly Instalments
Private, Confidential Service
Quick Decisions
MERCANTILE FINANCE, LTD
1112 Broad Street Phone G 7171

63A FOR SALE

AL RAMLADDER—1929 FORD 1-DOOR SEDAN, 1 owner, 20,000 miles, 1 tire 32x6, 1938 Ford V-8 flat deck, 1937 Ford sedan. We are not selling for damaged goods but for cash. Can be seen Phone 5 Sooke Phone G 6121

A BARGAIN—BUICK 60 LUXE COUPE, 1935, perfect shape; tires as new; $450. Terms offer if you like. 2-6 p.m.

AUTO SALES FINANCED AND LOANS on any make car or truck. Reasonable rates. B W Miller & Co. 1210 Broad St.

BRGO MOTOR COMPANY, LTD.
BONDED DEALERS
OF THE WEEK

COME IN AND LOOK OVER THESE THREE top great values and be convinced that we are fair dealers and reasonable minded!!!

THEY ARE HARD TO BEAT

1938 AMERICAN AUSTIN COUPE—Priced for quick sale, equipped to suit, $125 down, balance $15 per month. Price $425

1937 AUSTIN DE LUXE "10" FOUR-DOOR SEDAN—Just like new inside and out, $125 down, balance $15 per month. Price $445

1937 PONTIAC TO CHOOSE FROM

BRGO MOTOR COMPANY, LTD.
Bonded Dealers Phone G 1350
811 Yates Street (Opposite Allen)
AND OUR MARKHAM
VERY STRONG BARGAIN LOT

CHEVROLET COUPE, EXCELLENT BODY, new paint, tires, tubes, fine motor. Better inspect this car. Cash $125.

CHEVROLET STYLE-PASSENGER 1940 Pick-up, tubes, tires, new mileage, perfect condition. Must sell. Cash $525 Cameron.

TOP NOTCH BRGAIN—PERFECT CONDITION, good tires. Reasonable. Phone G 7171

FORD VICTORY "V"—4 DOOR SEDAN, 1941 model, 27,000 miles, $1,000. Phone G 7171

FORD EAST-WEST SEDAN, 1939 Fordor, good tires, good condition, $500.

FORD, VICTOR 1940—CHEVROLET 1939 half-ton truck, 1942 license, good tires, 12,000 miles, week-ends.

CHAMPION 1936 CHEVROLET SEDAN—Five tires, condition 30,000 miles, no dealers or agents. 7261

MALL CHEVROLET TYDEMAN LTD
Sales for sale 1036 Cook Street.

SPECIALS

TO THE BUYER WHO HAS lots and lands lying over tax sale, we have a proposition worth considering. Our interest is at give absolute satisfaction.

PACKARD 1934 SEDAN $835
PACKARD 1936 OPERA SEAT COUPE $1065
PACKARD DELUXE 1936 OPERA SEAT COUPE $1285
PACKARD 1937 SEDAN $1365

TRUCKS AND TRAILERS
Established Nearly Fifty Years
1016 Yates Street Phone G 7116

ASHER TAX (1942) $425
FORD COUPE $150
FORD SEDAN $195
CHEVROLET SEDAN $85
FORD COACH $175

DID YOU KNOW?
WE GIVE BRUNSWICK BATTERIES
"WHILE YOU WAIT"

Save Tax Time, Money and Pay Above a Bonus—If You Have Any Battery Trouble Be Sure and Call Us

HIGH QUALITY BARGAINS

OLDSMOBILE SEDAN $795
TERRAPLANE SEDAN $495
PONTIAC SEDAN $625

MANY OTHERS

DAVIS-DRAKE MOTORS LTD.
Build and Paint Cars — 0.24 U Trucks
Port Street at Douglas
Assistant Dealer: Monarch Motors Limited

WHO—
BAD PRICES AND ADVANCING
LOOK OVER THESE VALUES—ALL
RECONDITIONED AND GUARANTEED
WITH EXCELLENT TIRES

1937 DODGE $365
1936 FORD $325
1935 FORD $495
1935 FORD $395
1935 PONTIAC $395
1935 BUICK SEDAN, Radio and heater $495
1934 FORD COUPE $325
1930 FORD TUDOR $150
1928 DODGE CUSTOM SEDAN—Radio and heater $125

Many Others to Choose From

NATIONAL MOTOR COMPANY LTD
Old Texaco Corner Phone G 6139
"Where Customers Send Their Friends"

1928 SUPERBUILT SEDAN—Motor, clutch, brakes, tires, paint, good shape, $85 or trade. 2

BOOKS BUILT BRITISH STATION, LTD. Quality Tubes and Goodrich. 8 5026

BUICK TO SELL WITH 1942 TIRES 1939 Buick Special Sedan, 1942 tires. Plus ruling price tires, brings 1942 tires. Plus ruling price tires, brings 1942 tires. Plus ruling price tires, brings

"BUT I DON'T NEED IT!
I had my last year's Spring outfit cleaned and shape-restored by Fan-Morrison and now you wouldn't know it from a new one!"
PHONE E7155
FanMorrison EYE-WORKS

FAIRFIELD BARGAIN
Reduced from $4,250 to ..... $3950 cash
Splendidly built home—room home, detached garage, beautiful surroundings, on corner lot. Rapidly convertible into three suites. Exceptionally large bachelorette room. Only floors, hot water heating, the installed three rooms. This is an exceptional bargain, and terms to suit can be arranged.

OAK BAY
$3750 Terms. Seven-room residence, bungalow to provide one-suite. Full concrete basement, hot water heating. Fine garden lot with fruit trees. South at the ground.

GORDON HEAD
$3450 On terms as low as can be arranged. Modern six-room five-room bungalow. One floors, open fireplace, very modern kitchen. One acre chicken ark. Grade 'A' barn and dairy. Other good outbuildings. Only four miles out on bus line.

GILLRAND, HILL & CO.
614 Central Building G 2141

INVESTMENT SHOWING 15% NET RETURN
Two adjoining stores, with modern living quarters over each. One is a brick building, erected for years as a grocery store, the other is a frame building, used as a confectionery. Both are fully insured by brokers for the estate, we are offering the whole property, which is fully rented, at the very low price of
$3000
J. C. BRIDGMAN
604 Broughton Street Phone G 2321

PHONE HEATH YOUR LISTINGS NOW
FOR QUICK ACTION
E. E. Heath
605 Yates Phone G 4162
Night Phones G 5438, G 4030

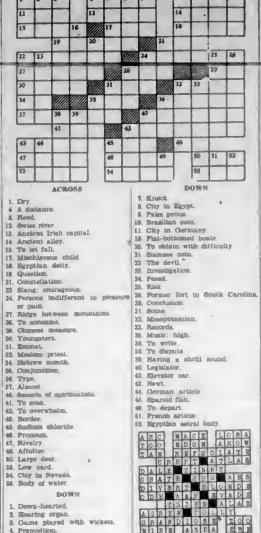
FIVE ROOM MODERN STUCCO BUNGALOW in Oak Bay. Close to the sea, schools and bus $3,600
FIVE ROOM HOUSE with full basement and fireplace, close to Cadboro Bay $3,650
DOUBLE TEN-ROOM HOUSE, close to Oak Bay Junction. Can be used as a duplex or as three $3,850
Van der Vliet, Gaboldu & May, Ltd.
Real Estate, Insurance, Mortgages
1121 BROAD STREET PHONE G 1176

FAIRFIELD
An attractive six-room stucco residence on the high part of Fairfield, within easy walking distance of town. HARDWOOD FLOORS, living-room, dining-room, kitchen, three bedrooms, tiled bathroom and abundant storage space. We consider this an exceptional buy at $4500
MARA, BATE & CO., LTD.
615 Fort St. G 1126

CITY — Corner confectionery and grocery, nine rooms above, priority refrigeration, good turnover, good cross earners, fully fully rented. Three-room bachelorette.
$1100
CROSS & CO., Opp. Postoffice
802 Government Street G 4233

LONDON (CP).—Maj.-Gen. G. B. Nerthorm Van Goor, inspector-general of The Netherlands Forces in Great Britain, died after an appendicectomy. He was sixty-eight.

The Daily Cross-Word Puzzle



ACROSS
1. Dry.
4. A distance.
8. Steel.
13. Swiss river
15. Ancient Irish capital.
16. Ancient alley.
18. To let fall.
19. Mischievous child
20. Egyptian deity.
21. Quantum.
22. Constellation.
23. Hazy: courageous.
24. Persons indifferent to pleasure or pain.
27. Range between mountains.
28. To consume.
29. Chinese measure.
30. Youngsters.
31. Emmet.
32. Moslem priest.
34. Hebrew month.
36. Conjunction.
38. Type.
37. Almost
40. Seance, of spiritualists.
41. To soak.
42. To overwhelm.
43. Border.
44. Sodium chloride.
46. Pronoun.
47. Rivulet.
48. Afflicter.
50. Large deer.
51. Low card.
54. Chip in Nevada.
55. Body of water.

DOWN
1. Down-hearted.
2. Hearing organ.
3. Game played with wickets.
4. Preposition.
5. Sprite.
6. Horde.
9. Knock.
8. City in Egypt.
9. Palm genus.
10. Brazilian coin.
11. City in Germany
12. Flat-bottomed boats
25. To obtain with difficulty
21. Siamese coin.
22. The devil."
23. Investigation.
24. Pound.
26. Rust
28. Former fort in South Carolina.
28. Contraction.
31. Scine.
33. Mesopotamian.
33. Records.
35. Music: high.
36. To write.
38. To dispute
39. Having a shrill sound.
40. Legislator.
42. Elevator car.
43. Newt.
44. German article
45. Spanish fish.
46. To depart.
51. French article
53. Egyptian astral body.

ANSWER TO LAST PUZZLE

NEWSPAPERS BEST FOR ADVERTISING

Author Says Daily Press Most Effective Publicity Medium—Reaches Most People

Newspapers constitute the best advertising and publicity medium because they reach more people than any other medium, Herbert M. Bass, publicity chairman of the Pacific Advertising Association, writes in his book, "Publicity: How to Plan, Produce and Place It," released this week by Harper & Brothers.

"Almost every American reads at least one newspaper a day," Bass says in his book. "Newspapers constitute a medium of sustained intelligence. Newspapers can be passed from person to person. A single copy of a newspaper is usually read by several persons.

"Newspapers are quickly available to everybody because they are low-priced." Bass points out. "Newspapers are loaded with numerous features and full news coverage, so that both rich and poor seek them and peruse them carefully."

Publicity must be news, not free advertising material, the author writes. The three steps of manufacturing publicity are analysed and compared with production of an airplane or an automobile. Publicity is pictured as a rising technique of the modern world. It is a weapon to win the war. Properly done, it can be a public service.

Author Bass teaches publicity at the University of Southern California, and is publicity director of the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce. He has worked on newspapers in Washington, D.C. and Los Angeles, and contributed to many magazines.

Favor Support For Plebiscite

A largely attended meeting of Pro Patria Branch, Canadian Legion, unanimously decided not only to vote "yes" in the plebiscite on April 27, but to do all possible to persuade others to vote "yes." The members realized that the plebiscite was not the Legion's choice, but that since the Government had decided this policy it was their duty to vote "yes" so that a policy of total war could then be demanded of the Government.

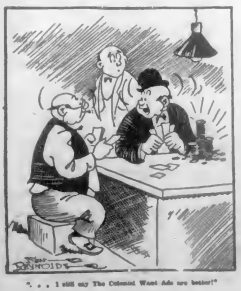
Captain Alan Morrill—an old member of the branch—recently returned from service overseas, was present and gave the members an interesting talk on some of his experiences with the Active Army. He eulogized the fine morale of all troops overseas with whom he came in contact.

President J. Fox, William Childs, L. S. Davies and C. A. Gill, secretary, were elected to represent the branch at the forthcoming convention in Winnipeg, May 24 to 26.

A resolution was passed for submission to the Dominion convention dealing with the alleged discrimination in matters affecting the pay of officers and other ranks who may be prisoners of war.

The foxes, an animal of Madagascar, is much more elongated in shape than the dachshund.

QUICKIES



". . . I still say The Colonist Want Ads are better!"

FLYIN' JENNY

Shark Bait By Russell Keaton

MUTT AND JEFF

Mutt Appeal Owned Case—Lawyer or No Lawyer By Bud Fisher

MARY WORTH'S FAMILY

By Dale Allen

SUPERMAN

Unfinished Business By Jerry Siegel and Joe Shuster

POP

Which Makes Pop Near Perfect By J. Millar Watt

POPEYE

BLONDIE

In Unity There Is Strength By Chic Young

FINANCE - COMMERCE - MARKETS

Stocks Continue Downward Slip On Wall Street

NEW YORK, April 17 (AP).—The stock market today reaffirmed its pessimistic appraisal of the French situation and some elements of the domestic economic picture by another downward step to the lowest average levels since April 28, 1938.

At the close losses in the key departments ranged from fractions to 2 or more points. Numerous stocks established new bottoms for a long stretch of years.

The Associated Press sixty-stock composite fell .5 of a point to 32.8. Its last rise was on April 6. Transactions totaled 418,300 shares against 262,720 yesterday.

Among stocks posting new lows were Bethlehem Steel, Youngstown Sheet, Westinghouse, General Electric, Johns-Manville, Eastman Kodak, American Airlines, Boeing, American Telephone, Anaconda, Kennecott and Southern Railway.

Giving up a point or more were American Can, DuPont, Allied Chemical, Philip Morris, Owens-Illinois, United States Gypsum, Montgomery Ward, Sears Roebuck, Caterpillar, Douglas Aircraft and Sperry.

DOW JONES AVERAGES

Dow Jones averages closed today as follows:

Thirty industrials, 96.05, off 1.88.
Twenty rails, 23.91, off .23.
Fifteen utilities, 10.82, off .13.
Total sales, 418,000.

(B. A. Humber, Ltd.)

	Bid
Allied Chemicals	122
American Can	58
American Tobacco	38¾
American Smelter	33
American Tel & Tel	112¾
Anaconda Copper	23¼
Atchison Topeka	38
B & O Railway	3
Baldwin Locomotive	13¾
Bendix Aviation	31
Beth Steel	55¼
Boeing Aircraft	16
Borden	20¾
Borg Warner	21¼
C P R	5
Cerro de Pasco	28¼
C & O Railway	30¼
Chrysler	52½
Con. Edison	11¼
Cont. Can	22
Crucible Steel	27¾
Curtiss Wright	5¾
Douglas Aircraft	58
Dupont	100¾
Eastman Kodak	111
General Foods	30
General Electric	22¾
General Motors	33¼
Goodyear Tire	13¾
Great West Sugar	22½
Great Northern	22¾
Howe Sound	31
International Harvester	43¾
International Nickel	25¼
Kennecott Copper	30
Loews Theatre	37
Montgomery Ward	24¾
New York Central	7
North American Aviation	11¼
Penn. Railway	20¼
Pepsi-Cola	17½
Phillips Pete	33¾
Pullman	21¾
Radio	2¾
Republic Steel	15¾
Reynold's Tobacco	20¼
Safeway Stores	31
Standard Oil N.J.	33¾
Sears Roebuck	48
Southern Pacific	10¾
Studebaker	4¼
Texas Corp	31¼
Texas Gulf	29¾
Union Carbide	33¾
[illegible] Oil Cal	11
[illegible] Pacific	80¼
United Aircraft	25¼
United Gas Imp.	4
U.S. Rubber	14¾
U.S. Smelting	37¾
U.S. Steel	47
Westinghouse Electric	[illegible]
Western Union	[illegible]
Yellow Cab	[illegible]
Zenith Radio	[illegible]

WHAT'S DOING ON THE LOCAL RETAIL PRODUCE MARKET

Local Spring cabbage is now becoming more plentiful on the wholesale row, according to wholesale officials, and the price is reasonable.

Two shipments of oranges arrived on the row yesterday and the price is firm but liable to advance at any time. The market on California grapefruit is also firm and advancing.

A fine quality of Alberta potatoes is arriving in steady shipments, wholesalers stated, and two carloads of California new potatoes and California carrots arrived yesterday.

Grain Markets

WINNIPEG GRAIN
(B. A. Humber, Ltd.)

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
May	79¼	79¼	78¾	79¾
July	80¾	80¾	80¾	80¾
Barley—				
May	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
July	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Oct	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Oats—				
May	51¾	51¾	51¾	51¾
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

Cash Grain
[illegible]

CHICAGO GRAIN
(B. A. Humber, Ltd.)

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
May	130¾	130¾	118¾	119¾
July	133¾	133¾	131¾	131¾
Sept	136¾	134¾	133¾	135¾
Corn—				
May	88	88	88¾	88¾
July	88¾	88¾	88¾	88¾
Sept	90¾	88¾	88¾	90¾
Oats—				
May	55¾	55¾	54¾	55
July	55½	55¾	55¼	55½
Sept	55¾	54¾	55¾	55½
Rye—				
May	72¾	73¾	74¾	75
July	75¾	76¾	77¾	77¾
Sept	81¾	81¾	80¾	80¾

Dividend No. 17

Hedley Mascot Gold Mines, Ltd. (N.P.L.)

Quarterly Dividend of Two Cents per Share will be paid on May 15th, 1942, to Shareholders of record as at April 22nd, 1942.

Transfer Books of the Company will be closed April 23rd to 28th, 1942, inclusive.

By Order of the Board.
VICTOR J. CREEDEN
Secretary

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, April 17 (AP).—The Canadian dollar gained 3-64 of a United States cent in foreign exchange trading today, closing at 87.38 United States cents.

Official Canadian Control Board [illegible] 11 per cent premium, selling 11 per cent premium, equivalent to discounts on Canadian dollars in New York of buying [illegible], selling [illegible] per cent.

Quotations in cents
Argentina — Official 29.77; free 23.72 up [illegible] of a cent.
Brazil—Official 6.05; free 5.20.
Mexico—20.67.

STERLING EXCHANGE
NEW YORK, April 17 (AP).—Quotations in dollars (Official Bankers' Foreign Exchange Committee rates), buying 4.02, selling 4.04, open market cables 4.04.

(Rates on spot cables unless otherwise indicated.)

Toronto Stocks

MINING SECTION
(Island Investment Co.)

[illegible]

INDUSTRIAL SECTION
(Island Investment Co.)

[illegible]

Banks

	Bid	Asked
Canadian Bank of Commerce	143	135½
Imperial Bank	150	201
Bank of Montreal	182	184
Bank of Nova Scotia	272	
Royal Bank	150	138½

Averages
Industrials 88.36, down .27
Golds 61.38, up .16
Metals 31.38, down .38
Oils 14.21, up .33
Sales 100,000

London Stocks

LONDON, April 17 (AP).—British stock closings, in sterling: Austin "A," 15s 6d; Babcock & Wilcox, 44s 3d; Boots, 32s 9d; Cent. Mining, £10 3-4; Consol. Gold, 51s 3d; Courtaulds, 33s 9d; Crown, £3 1-8; De Beers Dfd., £7 9-8; East Geduld, £6 7-8; H.B.C., 34s; Metal Box, 71s 3d; Mex Eagle, 13s 3d; Mining Trust, 2s; Rand, £3 1-8; Springs 18s 9d.

Bonds: British 2 1-2 per cent Consols £82 3-8; British 3 1-2 per cent War Loan, £106 7-16; British Funding 4s, 1960-90, £114 3-8.

Egg Market

These prices are obtained daily from the office of the Dominion Government Poultry Produce Inspection Service, Victoria. G 2462

To producer—

Grade "A" large	30
Grade "A" medium	24
Grade "A" pullet	22

Following are city wholesale—

Grade "A" large	35
Grade "A" medium	28
Grade "A" pullet	26

Stocks and Bonds

(A. E. AMES & CO.)

	Bid	Asked
Bell Telephone	109¾	126¾
B A Oil	15¼	16¼
B C Power "A"	16	18
Borrington Steel	3	
Can Car & Fdry. pfd.	26¾	28
Canadian Pacific Railway	3¾	4¼
[illegible]		

Montreal Stocks

MONTREAL QUOTATIONS
(James Richardson & Sons)

[illegible]

Banks

	Bid	Asked
Bank of Commerce	143	135½
Bank of Montreal	183	138
Banque Canadienne Nationale	160	120

Foreign Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Argentine 4½%, 1971	76.00	79.50
Australia 4½%, 1956	48.00	82.00
Chile 3%, 1961	13.25	17.50
Colombia 3%, 1961	43.50	47.50
Cuba 4½%, 1977	79.25	79.00
Denmark 6%, 1942	80.25	83.50
Peru 6%, 1962	8.00	30.00
Sydney 5½%, 1955	46.50	67.25
Uruguay 4½%, 1976	87.00	30.00

(Above prices in New York)

MONTREAL PRODUCE

MONTREAL, April 17 (CP).—Spot: Butter, Quebec and Western (92 score) 35 1-4b. Eggs, Eastern "A" large, 30 to 30 1-8; "A" medium, 28 1-8 to 29; "A" pullets, 24 1-2 to 25.

Futures: Butter April 35b; May 34 to 34 1-8; June 33 3-4 to 34 1-2; July 34 3-4a; eggs, April 30 1-4.

A. E. AMES & CO.
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DOMINION OF CANADA BONDS
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To Those Interested in Oil Royalties
A Complete Information Service is Available Without Obligation
PREMIER INVESTMENTS, LTD.
VANCOUVER - VICTORIA
[illegible] PEMBERTON BUILDING, VICTORIA · PHONE G [illegible]

Trading Is Light and Changes in Price Few In Vancouver Mart

VANCOUVER, April 17 (CP).—Trading continued light and few price changes were registered on Vancouver Stock Exchange today. Transactions totaled 6,550 shares.

Among the golds Bralorne dropped 10 to 7.15 while Pioneer rose 2 to 1.42. Gold Belt firmed a cent at 15 1-2 while Reno at 3 and Sheep Creek at 66 were unchanged.

Calgary and Edmonton Oil at 96 gained 9 from Thursday's closing bid and Home advanced 9 to 2.48. Other oils and base metals were inactive.

VANCOUVER QUOTATIONS
(B. A. Humber, Ltd.)

Oils

	Bid	Asked
Anaconda	.02½	.03
Anglo-Canadian	.33	
A P Con	.06½	.07
British Dominion	.33	.35
C. & E. Corp	.91	1.00
Calmont	.11	
Comox	.10	
Commonwealth	.10	.20
Dalh[illegible] Oil	.13	.13
Home Oil	2.30	2.48
Mercury	.30	
McDougall Segur	.02½	.20
Mill City	.08	
Model Oil	.06	.30
National Pete.	.04	.04½
Okalta	.31	.30
Pacalta	.02½	
Pacific Pete.	.10	.15
Royal Canadian	.30	.03½
Royalite	30.00	34.25
Vanalta	.04	.08
Vulcan		.13

Mines

	Bid	Asked
Bayonne Cons.	.09	.20
Bralorne	7.15	7.25
Cariboo Gold	1.07	1.20
Golconda	.08	
Gold Belt	.14	.14½
Grandview	.14½	
Hedley Mascot	.25	
Kootenay Belle	.10	.15
Pacific Nickel	.20	
Pend Oreille	1.10	1.30
Pioneer Gold	1.39	1.38
Premier Border	.01	.01½
Premier Gold	.60	.63
Privateer	.30	.60
Reeves McDonald	.32	
Reno Gold	.03½	.03½
Sheep Creek	.67	.69
Silbak Premier	.69	.70
Surf Inlet	.06	
Whitewater	.02	.02½
Wellington	.01	.01½

Miscellaneous

	Bid	Asked
Capital Estates		1.00
Coast Breweries	2.14	2.18
United Distillers	[illegible]	1.25

Dominion Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

[illegible]

Provincial Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Alberta 4%, 1938	[illegible]	[illegible]
Alberta 5%, 1945	[illegible]	[illegible]
British Columbia 4%, 1957	101.25	
British Columbia 4½%, 1953	108.25	105.80
British Columbia 5%, 1953	120.25	
Manitoba 4½%, 1959	98.00	101.00
Manitoba 6½%, 1953	100.00	120.50
New Brunswick 4½%, 1961	104.25	108.00
Nova Scotia 4½%, 1959	107.25	108.50
Ontario 4½%, 1960	108.25	110.00
Quebec 4½%, 1960	104.00	107.00
Saskatchewan 5½%, 1951	80.25	81.00
Saskatchewan 6½%, 1963	82.15	86.00
Saskatchewan 6%, 1963	96.00	97.00

Corporation Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

[illegible]

DIVIDEND DECLARED

Noranda Mines Limited, $1, payable in Canadian funds June 15 to shareholders of record May 20.

PRICE OF WHISKY

In the cabled report of the new British budget, the former tax on whisky was given as one shilling and ninepence. The correct figure is nine shillings and sixpence.

SILVER MARKET

LONDON, April 17 (AP).—Bar silver 23 1-2d, unchanged (equivalent 42.82 cents).

BIG FIELD TEEING OFF

Draw Released for Men's Championship at the Uplands Golf Club

[illegible] will tee-off tomorrow morning in the eighteen-hole qualifying test for the men's championship of the Uplands Golf Club. The low sixteen gross scorers will form the title flight and the rest will be divided into other flights. The defeated eight in the first round of the championship will form the first flight. Draw and starting times follow:

8:30—Jenkins, Heath, Aaronson and Revercomb.
8:35—Thomas, Shadbolt, Bell and McKenzie.
8:40—Bevan, Sledge, Trerise and Menzies.
8:45—Badminton, Riches, Smith and More.
8:50—Cuppage, Allen, Court and Pigot.
8:55—Ferguson, Stancombe, Barlow and Drummond.
9:00—McGown, Brown, Stranix and Chanter.
9:05—Twitchell, Irish, Smith and Moore.
9:10—Hibberson, Hibberson, Lea and Florence.
9:15—Turnbull, Tripp, Gardom and Collison.
9:20—Morgan, E Hibberson, Francis and Lindsay.
9:25—Fletcher, Savident, Phillips and McKenzie.
9:30—Leslie, Howard, Porter and Porritt.
9:35—Kirkpatrick, Shaw, Mussler and Michaelson.
9:40—Thomson, Lewis, Hurn and Christie.
9:45—Thomson, Dowell and Ellis.
9:50—Clarke, Nobbs and Smith.
4:00—Williams and Ard.

CUPS PRESENTED AT DANCE HERE

Another season, which President W. Browne-Cave announced as the most successful in the annals of the rapidly-growing Victoria Table Tennis Association, was brought to a fitting conclusion last night at the Chamber of Commerce auditorium with a "Presentation Dance."

One of the highlights of the evening was the presentation of championship trophies to the winners in the three divisions, senior, second division and junior. Group Captain S. L. Pope, D.F.C., A.F.C., commanding officer, R.A.F., Patricia Bay, made the presentations. R.A.F. players won the first and second division laurels, with Cpl. E. Walker and A. C. King, team captains, receiving the silverware. Gordon Elworthy, captain of Belcher's Newsstand, accepted the junior trophy for his club. Members of the winning squads received miniature cups.

The event was well attended, with more than 100 dancers enjoying the music of the R.A.F. Orchestra.

Refreshments were served.

CLUB TOURNEY WILL BE HELD

Women Golfers to Take Part in Annual Event at Uplands Course

With Mrs. E. Jackson a strong favorite, women members of the Uplands Golf Club will start off on Monday afternoon in their annual titular tournament. The medal event will be the usual eighteen holes, and then match play will get under way. Sixteen have already entered but more are expected, as post entries will be accepted.

Winners of the recent tombstone competition were announced yesterday as follows: "A" Class, Mrs. B. H. Anderson; "B" Class, Mrs. E. W. Hetherington. Those successful in the putting event were: "A" Class, Mrs. W. S. Smith; "B" Class, Mrs. D. Fletcher. Mrs. W. H. Willis was named winner of the special competition, the proceeds from which were turned over to the London Ormond Street Hospital.

Draw and starting times for the club tournament follow:

12:30—Mrs. E. Jackson and Mrs. L. J. Proctor.
12:35—Mrs. A. Piercy and Miss Betty Ellis.
12:40—Mrs. A. Horsford and Miss Mary Young.
12:45—Mrs. W. S. Smith and Mrs. K. Lawson.
12:50—Mrs. J. M. Boyd and Mrs. J. F. Dawson.
12:55—Mrs. J. R. Hibberson and Mrs. F. D. Shore.
1:00—Mrs. D. Fletcher and Miss Eileen Pendray.
1:05—Mrs. C. E. Ley and Mrs. W. S. Waller.

BELIEVE IT OR NOT . . . . By Ripley

EXPLANATION FOR YESTERDAY'S RIPLEY CARTOON

The Champion Browser—Auguste Lecomte, a Parisian bibliophile, for forty-two years (1884-1926) came every day at the same time to browse for two hours at the same bookstall at the Quai St. Michel on the left bank of the Seine. Then one day he failed to show up. The anxious bookseller inquired and found that his durable client had died alone in his artist's attic that morning.

Please address all queries to Cartoonist Ripley, c/o King Features, New York City, N.Y.

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BREAST LAMB, per lb.	14¢	FRYING CHICKENS	3 for $1.00

PLEASE CARRY SMALL PARCELS

JAMAICA RACING

JAMAICA, April 17.—Results here today follow.

FIRST RACE—Five furlongs
Dedded (Gilbert) 37.20 20.00 12.40
Bulrushes (Longden) 5.20 6.00
Plucky Ray (Zufelt) 7.30
Time, 1:[illegible]. Also ran: Matador, Dorine, Pop's Advice, Sagamore Lady, Spewar Is 1 In, Born Fine, Royal Army, Ghost Light, Jinnar.

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs
Bell Bottom (McCreary) 134.20 611.00 00.00
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OVERNIGHT ENTRIES

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SIXTH RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth

Salta	114
Dominee	109
Sire	112
Opening Bid	119
Waltabit	114
Wood Robin	100

SEVENTH RACE — Mile and one-sixteenth

Strolling In	117
The Pep	114
Shadows Pass	110
Asp	114
Sun Miss	119
Mars	114
Robert E Lee	114

CARPET BOWLING

Results of tournament at Britannia Branch last night follow:

SINGLES

A. Hampton 21, T. McMahon 16; W. Ashworth 18, S. Campion 19.

TRIPLES

E. Eastham, S. Kinsey and J. Mercer 23, L. Wheeldon, J. Maxwell and J. Browning 12; A. Belcher, G. Baird and O. Knight 11, J. Keating, J. Paterson and W. Grimes 19.

DOUBLES

D. Ryles and W. Ashworth 19, C. Shebrook and W. Madfield 16; H. Pearson and J. Berwick 24, G. Durant and L. Hewitt 19.

DRAW FOR WEDNESDAY

Singles at 7:30—J. Baron vs. C. Belcher, W. Roper vs. A. Hampton.

Triples at 8:30—E. Eastham, S. Kinsey and J. Mercer vs. T. McMahon, J. Coxworth and H. Hobbs; A. Graham, A. Hampton and H. Butler vs. J. Keating, J. Paterson and W. Grimes.

SOFTBALL WORKOUT

Douglas Tire softballers are asked to attend a workout at Central Park tomorrow morning, at 10 o'clock. All of last season's players and others interested are invited to turn out.

DUROCHER FINED $100

NEW YORK, April 17 (AP).—Commissioner K. M. Landis today fined Leo Durocher, manager of Brooklyn Dodgers, $100 for his behavior in a dispute with American League Umpire Bill Grieve during a Dodger-Yankee exhibition game at Baltimore last week. Durocher refused to leave the bench on Grieve's orders and created a scene.

Did You Know?

This is the month of the "April Shower of Dimes!" Send your donation to the Canadian Junior League, Victoria, B.C., and help the crippled children at the Queen Alexandra Solarium

H. S. HURN WILL DIRECT SOCIETY

Municipalities to Be Asked To Help Children's Aid Group

At its April meeting, the board of directors of the Children's Aid Society elected H. S. Hurn president for the ensuing year, and appointed the following officers to serve with him. First vice-president, Dr. J. L. Clayton; second vice-president, Mrs. George Alexander; honorary secretary, Sydney Child; honorary treasurer, A. E. Mallett.

Mrs. George Alexander was appointed chairman of the family committee, and Mrs. Florence Mutrie was named to head the child placing and supervision committee. D. McMillan was appointed chairman of the finance committee and Dr. Richard Peters, chairman of the staff committee.

The Provincial Government and the municipalities of Victoria, Esquimalt, Oak Bay and Saanich will be asked to contribute to the maintenance of a social service for juvenile delinquents. For the past five years the society has participated in the work of the juvenile court and with satisfactory results, but the work has so increased that it cannot continue to carry the cost within its estimated budget for regular work, the meeting was told.

Miss Isobel Harvey, provincial superintendent of neglected children, attended the meeting and participated in the discussion concerning juvenile delinquency and changing programmes under wartime conditions.

German Raid Over Dover Is Described

By BARRY ALLDRIAN

LONDON, April 14.—"That's my head, if you don't mind," was the one mild protest of Mrs. Cheek of Dover when a piece of brickwork slipped and struck her, as she lay pinned down beneath a heavy timber.

This was the aftermath of a moonlight raid, when a flight of Junkers dive-bombed Dover Banks, stores, offices and homes were destroyed. Thirteen persons were killed and many more injured.

Fifteen-year-old Pauline Cheek was asleep with her three-year-old brother, Ivan, in the upper story of the club, where her mother was carrying on the job of stewardess in place of her husband, who just the day before had gone to join the army.

The club got a direct hit, but Pauline saved her young brother by flinging herself over him, under a table. Downstairs, four men, including the mayor, who were playing darts, were all wiped out. When the Red Cross arrived Mrs. Cheek was still under the debris. Pauline and Ivan were wrapped in warm blankets and taken to a rest centre. While demolition workers and the rescue squad worked like galley slaves to free the mother.

ENCOURAGED RESCUERS

All night and far into the next day Mrs. Cheek, conscious but in great pain, kept encouraging rescuers with cheerful remarks. Food, passed through the wreckage by Red Cross workers, kept her alive until she was released and taken to hospital.

Despite the fact that Dover has had a brightly quiet April, the surprise raid did not catch war relief organizations like the Red Cross unprepared. The blitz season has not yet resumed its full intensity but a score of such raids take place every month in British towns, creating a constant challenge to Red Cross operations.

In Dover the Red Cross had swung into action before the last bomb crump had vanished into thin air. Over the roofs of this town where the hottest front-line engagements in the Battle of Britain have been fought and won, black-armed wings darkened the sky. The happy normalcy of the city's night life was plunged in tragedy by a heavy rain of heavy calibre bombs. Rescue parties, wardens and first aid operatives who stood by during the deceptive lull with well-spiffed and polished impatience, again had work for their skilled hands. Spies and spoon Canadian Red Cross ambulances sped from more than a dozen in the demolished homes of Britain.

CARRIED THROUGH AIR

During the height of the raid 1,300 people at a cinema caused a puddle, each time sirens when a bomb fell ten yards away. Picking up Commissioner Frederick Fisher, it carried him upright, as it walking on air, depositing him 400 yards down the street. He emerged about ten years and dropped in his tracks. Red Cross workers rushed him to the hospital, where a new form of respiration was successfully applied.

It was a memorable night. Bombs detonated with a Niagara-like roar; huge buildings crashed down, while soft-soft guns belched out their noisy death. Through it all the Red Cross workers showed unremittingly to help the wounded and sorrowing.

As I left Dover a decontamination squad was trying to extricate some of the Cheek family belongings from the wreckage which had been their home. Young Pauline was standing at the foot of the fatidic white demolished with a Niagara-like roar; a demolition worker handed down wrapped bits of clothing. Pauline and Ivan were going to go back home in another part of Kent until their mother is well again.

"We wouldn't have bothered so much about her clothes," said the little girl disparagingly. "but the Canadian Red Cross must have many more bandage to be used after."

Pauline was right. The Red Cross has many more to look after, and the number grows larger as the war goes on. That is why from May 11 to May 23 the Canadian Red Cross is appealing to its friends, all over the Dominion, to give and give generously, toward the $2,000,000 needed to carry on this great work.

Wild over walking is gaining popularity as a rather sport.

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Announcement

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Will Be

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However, Citrus Fruits, such as oranges, grapefruit, also apples and certain fruits in season will be carried in our

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Walk and Walk in These

Casual Shoes 5.75

You're walking more and more now to make your precious rubber tires and gasoline coupons go as far as they can. You'll want practical, comfortable shoes designed for walking pleasure. There are Oxfords, ankle straps and side ties to choose from in beige, turtlas, red or tobacco, in sizes 4½ to 9, AAA to B.

Women's Shoes, Your Fashion Centre, Second Floor at THE BAY

Ankle Socks 25c

Lisle and rayon plated lisle socks in popular plain colors or colorful stripes. They have snug fitting tops in children's sizes 6 to 8½, women's sizes 9 to 10½.

Lisle Hose 59c

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Synthetic Leather Handbags 1.98

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Sizes 8 to 10 Years **8.98** to $10.98

If she's at the "in-between" age and you find it hard to find just "her coat" you'll welcome this opportunity to purchase a trim-fitting, practical and good-looking coat at these low prices. They're all of first quality . . . all tailored with the problems of an adolescent figure in mind. Sizes 8 to 10 years, in beige, blue, rose and turquoise.

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Saskatchewan Group Elects New Officers

The Saskatchewan Association of Greater Victoria held its annual meeting at the A.O.F. Hall on Tuesday evening with President J. E. Cooper presiding. Various reports were received and acted upon. Miss Nellie Small gave a review of the activities of the Saskatchewan Concert Party and advised they were commencing a return engagement in the various camps in the district presidents, J. E. Hardy; past president, W. R. Riddington; with R. Stokes, H. S. Pollock, F. G. Greenway, C. C. Creagh, G. E. Goodwin, C. N. Hudson and Mesdames J. Durnan and J. L. P. Edwards as executive members.

The financial statement as presented showed a satisfactory year and that $800 had been utilized in purchasing Victory Loan bonds.

JUST AN ERROR

Forced to put on his broken suddenly, the driver of the sports car found a shooting orchestra across the road. Just missing a lamp-post before it stopped.

Up strolled a policeman.

"Well," he remarked genially, "you put a nice shot there, sir."

"Pardon me, officer," was the haughty reply, "this body is my wife."